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FISHERIES STATEMENTS

FOR THE YEAR

1882.

PRODUCE AND VALUE OF THE CANADIAN FISHERIES.

The total value of the production of the Fisheries of Canada in 1882, is $16,824,092.34. The value in the previous year amounted to $15,817,162.64, an increase of $1,006,929.70, exclusive of the catch in Manitoba and North-West Territories, of which there are no returns.

General Recapitulation of the Yield and Value of Fisheries in the Dominion of Canada, in 1881 and 1882.

Kinds of Fish.	1881.		1882.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		$ cts.		$ c
Salmon.....Brls.	6,038½	56,453 00	6,839½	72,436 5
do fresh, in ice.....Lbs.	1,037,945	165,806 11	1,803,076	293,437 2
do fresh.....Pieces	157,931	44,646 50	5,099	7,648 5
do smoked.....Lbs. & Boxes	7,191	2,538 50	lbs. 76,896	11,540 5
do preserved in cans.....Lbs.	8,524,827	1,066,149 70	12,282,374	1,410,669 9
Cod.....Cwt.	1,075,507	4,468 391 75	902,890	3,778,901 7
Pollock..... "	54,538	190,883 00	117,247	410,364 5
Haddock..... "	116,978	409,832 00	178,557	625,329 0
do .....Lbs.	95,263	83,642 10	27,750	1,665 0
Hake.....Cwt.	152,327	533,144 50	187,684	656,894 0
Halibut..... "	263	1,578 00	.....	.....
do .....Lbs.	1,017,395	61,043 70	1,066,395	61,853 7
Herring, pickled.....Brls.	362,354	1,490,018 00	423,042	1,739,943 7
do smoked.....Boxes	1,060,416	267,604 00	1,247,231	311,807 7
do frozen.....per 100	16,050,000	64,200 00	20,527,200	83,533 8
Mackerel.....Brls.	105,772½	1,046,343 00	110,352	1,092,547 0
do preserved.....Cans	390,666	58,599 90	594,061	89,109 1
Alewives.....Brls.	44,039	175,197 50	45,875	185,072 5
Ling.....Cwt.	75	300 00	140	560 0
Shad.....Brls.	14,819	118,552 00	10,323	82,588 0
do .....No.	116,977	10,527 93	225,854	21,042 5
Bass, Trout and Smelt, N.S.....Lbs.	410,750	24,645 00	.....	.....
Bass..... "	388,833	23,329 98	1,048,349	66,164 0
do .....Brls.	2,767	13,835 00	.....	.....
Trout..... "	9,700	96,757 00	3,571	35,114 0
do .....Lbs.	606,177	41,079 46	2,876,079	219,032 2
Smelts.....Lbs.	1,994,905	117,600 30	3,241,924	194,515 4
Sturgeon..... "	673,121	38,893 26	1,262,020	57,770 5
do .....Brls.	3,361	16,805 00	.....	.....
Whitefish ..... "	5,079½	50,795 00	2,192	21,920 0
do .....Lbs.	2,608,161	131,806 60	3,493,616	279,489 2
do .....No.	677,320	67,732 00	.....	.....
Bar and Whitefish.....Doz.	5,270	6,587 50	6,989	8,736 2
Bar Fish.....Lbs.	11,400	912 00	5,210	416 8
Pike .....Brls.	1,775	8,875 00	.....	.....
do .....Lbs.	295,200	14,760 00	410,330	24,598 9
Pickerel..... "	252,100	15,126 00	1,991,989	116,468 1
do .....Brls.	4,257	21,285 00	.....	.....
Maskinongé..... "	1,523	7,615 00	.....	.....
do .....Lbs.	128,160	7,689 00	540,725	36,097 4
Sciscos.....Brls.	580	2,320 00	.....	.....
Perch..... "	.....	.....	35,000	2,100 0
Eels..... "	2,872	25,798 00	2,817	25,277 0
do .....No.	337,267	33,726 70	504,876	50,487 6
do .....Lbs.	17,500	1,050 00	59,190	3,551 4
Coarse Fish.....Brls.	6,420	19,260 00	10,720	42,928 0
Mixed Fish..... "	75	450 00	} 15,658	58,014 0
do .....Lbs.	1,349,400	26,988 00		
Small Fish.....Brls.	2,103	4,206 00		
Tom Cod ..... "	6,890	10,335 00	3,500	5,250 0
Winnonish..... No.	36,600	9,150 00	42,160	10,540 0
Sardines.....Brls.	4,648	13,944 00	3,508	10,553 0
do .....Hhds.	19,280	115,680 00	27,285	163,710 0
Oysters..... Brls.	31,498	94,494 00	64,646	193,938 0
Lobsters, preserved.....Lbs.	17,490,523	2,939,221 70	brls.16,803,730	2,780,495 5
do .....Tons.	543	16,640 00	1,812	62,760 0
do in shell.....per M.	.....	.....	258,000	6,450 0
Carried forward.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

GENERAL Recapitulation of the Yield and Value of the Fisheries, etc —*Concluded.*

Kinds of Fish.	1881.		1882.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Qnantity.	Value.
		$ cts		$ cts.
Brought forward				
Cod Tongues and Sounds ..... Brls.	1,596	11,460 00	1,640	11,850 00
Cod and Hake Sounds ..... Lbs.	85,853	81,122 25	147,190	114,857 50
Dolabans, pickled ..... Brls.	235	2,350 00	116	928 00
do do ..... ½ brls.	230	1,150 00	44	198 00
do do ..... Kitts	50	125 00	37	92 60
do smoked ..... Boxes	500	500 00	1,261	1,261 00
do fresh ..... Lbs.	3,100	186 00	39,400	1,970 00
Whiting in British Columbia ..... "			19,600	1,176 00
Clams, preserved ..... "			2,400	250 00
Haddock and other fish, dried		250 00		
Halibut, fresh, in ice to San Francisco— Customs Returns		578 09		
Fish scrap, dried ..... Tons.	10	200 00	150	2,250 00
Seal Skins ..... No.	71,742	220,693 00	17,700	177,000 00
Hair Seal skins ..... "	3,500	1,750 00	16,917	15,167 00
Sea Otter skins ..... "	150	6,000 00	170	8,500 00
Porpoise skins ..... "	8	32 00	94	376 00
Seal Oil ..... Galls.	220,157	110,078 50	54,540	32,724 00
Whale Oil ..... "	12,985	5,194 00	7,880	4,728 00
Cod Oil ..... "	333,310	133,324 00	170,232	102,139 20
Porpoise Oil ..... "	497	248 50	19,636	9,835 70
Dolaban Oil ..... "	1,630	1,630 00	3,200	3,200 00
Herring Oil ..... "	16,000	6,400 00	15,000	6,000 00
Dog Fish, Seal and Porpoise Oil ..... "	142,240	56,896 00	196,407	78,562 80
Dog Fish Oil (refined) ..... "	27,000	14,850 00	37,000	20,350 00
Fish Oils, other ..... "	524,428	340,878 20	573,110	372,521 50
Fish used as Bait and Manure ..... Brls.	174,844	165,895 50	} tons 18,536	145,576 50
do do ..... Tons.	4,130	826 00		
Fish Guano ..... "	2,914	43,710 00	2,796	41,940 00
Fish used for local consumption ..... Brls.	24,323	93,239 00	}	131,591 00
Fish for home consumption, not included in returns ..... Pieces		48,790 00	}	
Fish sold in markets ..... "		70,500 00		85,000 00
Hake Sounds and Fresh Fish in Digby Co., N.S. ..... Lbs.		26,918 40		
Haddies in Annapolis Co.				1,500 00
Squid ..... Brls.	2,400	9,600 00	3,452	13,700 00
Smoked Haddies, Haddock and Halibut, in Digby Co.		26,010 00		23,250 00
Albicores and Clams in Queen's Co.		935 00		1,675 00
Capelin in Cape Breton				600 00
Total value of the Fisheries within the Dominion of Canada		$15,817,162 64		$16,824,092 34
Increase in 1882				$1,006,929 70

COMPARATIVE Statement of Production in each Branch of Fishing in the respective Provinces of the Dominion of Canada, in 1881 and 1882.

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

Kinds of Fish.	1881.		1882.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		$ cts.		$ cts.
Salmon ..... Brls.	457	6,855 00	700	10,500 00
do fresh, in ice ..... Lbs.	190,203	28,530 45	418,055	62,708 25
do smoked ..... do	7,190	1,078 50	65,910	9,866 50
do preserved ..... Cans.	9,250	1,387 50	1,096	164 40
Codfish ..... Cwt.	583,029	2,477,873 25	611,938	2,600,736 50
Cod Tongues and Sounds ..... Brls.	1,170	8,190 00	1,263	8,841 00
Pollock ..... Cwt.	31,558	110,453 00	106,248	371,868 00
Hake ..... "	73,885	258,597 50	112,693	394,425 50
Haddock ..... "	116,160	406,560 00	162,041	567,143 50
Halibut ..... Lbs.	718,370	43,102 20	752,331	45.139 86
Mackerel ..... Brls.	63,377	633,770 00	73,702	737,020 00
do preserved ..... Cans.	39,689	5,953 35	42,600	6,390 00
Herring ..... Brls.	198,269	793.076 00	193,361	773,444 00
do smoked ..... Boxes.	67,325	16,831 25	159,505	39,876 25
do frozen ..... Per 100	.....	.....	28,500	12,825 00
Alewives ..... Brls.	22,474	89,896 00	21,056	86,624 00
Shad ..... "	9,396	75,168 00	6,456	51,648 00
Bass, Trout and Smelt ..... Lbs.	410,750	24,645 00	415,435	24,926 10
Eels ..... Brls.	1,951	17,559 00	1,783	16,047 00
Oysters ..... "	2,270	6,810 00	1,745	5,235 00
Lobsters, preserved ..... Cans.	4,895,692	734,353 80	4,965,477	744,821 55
do ..... Tons.	35	1,400 00	840	33,600 00
do in shell ..... Per M.	.....	.....	258,000	6,450 00
Fish Oil ..... Galls.	417,022	271,064 30	475,863	309,310 95
Fish Guano ..... Tons.	1,820	27,300 00	2,047	30,705 00
Fish used as bait ..... Brls.	9,728	29,184 00	.....	16,220 00
do manure ..... "	19,780	9,890 00	16,192	8,096 00
Hake Sounds and fresh Fish in Digby Co ..... Lbs.	44,864	26,918 40	60,820	36,992 00
Smoked Haddies, Haddock and Halibut in Digby Co	.....	26,010 00	.....	22,750 00
Squid ..... Brls.	2,400	9,600 00	3,425	13,700 00
Amount sold in Halifax Fish Market	.....	25,500 00	.....	30,000 00
Home confumption of various counties, as per return	.....	46,290 00	.....	49,549 00
Albicores and Clams in Queen's Co	.....	935 00	.....	1,675 00
Capelin in Cape Breton Co	.....	.....	.....	600 00
Smoked Haddies in Annapolis Co	.....	.....	.....	1,500 00
Total	.....	6,214,781 50	.....	7,131,418 36

COMPARATIVE Statement of Production in each Branch of Fishing, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.		1882.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
			$ cts.		$ cts.
Codfish	Cwt.	65,492	278,341 00	43,487	184,819 75
Herring	Brls.	81,478	325,912 00	121,743	486,972 00
do smoked	Boxes.	991,605	247,901 25	1,073,970	268,492 50
do frozen	Per 100	16,050,000	64,200 00	17,677,200	70,708 80
Mackerel	Brls.	3,421	34,210 00	2,563	25,630 00
do preserved	Cans.	122,024	18,303 60	120,642	18,096 30
Haddock	Cwt.	22,653	79,285 50	15,757	55,149 50
Pollock	"	22,980	80,430 00	10,999	38,496 50
Hake	"	70,419	246,466 50	65,376	228,816 00
Halibut	Lbs.	294,450	17,667 00	230,831	13,849 86
Salmon, pickled	Brls.	97	1,746 00	61	1,098 00
do fresh, in ice	Lbs.	597,924	119,584 80	1,014,448	202,889 60
do smoked	"	.....	.....	120	24 00
do preserved	Cans.	3,137	627 40	38,350	7,670 00
Alewives	Brls.	19,648	78,592 00	23,164	92,656 00
Trout	Lbs.	29,805	1,788 30	83,459	5,007 54
Smelts	"	1,925,105	115,506 30	2,838,624	170,317 44
Shad	Brls.	5,423	43,384 00	3,866	30,928 00
Eels	"	896	8,064 00	996	8,964 00
Sturgeon	Lbs.	453,450	27,207 00	284,350	17,061 00
Sardines	Hhds.	19,280	115,680 00	27,285	163,710 00
Bass	Lbs.	225,283	13,516 98	250,706	15,042 36
Pickerel	"	.....	.....	120,000	7,200 00
Perch	"	.....	.....	35,000	2,100 00
Oysters	Brls.	8,413	25,239 00	5,859	17,577 00
Lobsters, preserved	Cans.	5,421,050	813,157 50	5,916,575	887,486 25
do	Tons.	508	15,240 00	972	29,160 00
Cod Tongues and Sounds	Brls.	282	1,974 00	192	1,344 00
Hake Sounds	Lbs.	66,930	66,930 00	63,500	63,500 00
Fish Oil	Galls.	98,093	63,760 45	84,923	55,199 95
Fish Guano	Tons.	1,092	16,380 00	746	11,190 00
Fish used as manure	Brls.	19,620	9,810 00	22,365	11,182 50
Total		.....	2,930,904 58	.....	3,192,338 85

COMPARATIVE Statement of Production in each Branch of Fisheries, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC—*Concluded.*

Kinds of Fish.	1881.		1882.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity	Value.
		$ cts		$ cts.
Salmon, pickled ... Brls.	568	8,520 00	1,022	15,330 00
do fresh in ice ... Lbs.	247,273	17,309 11	248,307	17,381 49
do preserved, in cans ... "	3,192	478 80	.....	.....
do smoked ... Boxes.	1	10 00	.....	.....
do fresh ... Pieces.	4,131	6,196 50	5,099	7,648 50
Cod, summer ... Cwt.	374,846	1,499,384 00	} 233,523	934,092 00
do fall ... "	35,206	140,824 00		
Haddock ... "	818	3,272 00	759	3,036 00
Ling ... "	75	300 00	140	560 00
Halibut ... Brls.	cwt. 263	1,578 00	355	2,130 00
Herring, pickled ... "	40,202	201,010 00	57,640½	255,202 00
do smoked ... Boxes.	1,426	356 50	3,078	769 50
Shad ... Pieces.	116,977	10,527 93	225,854	21,042 56
Eels ... "	337,267	33,726 70	504,876	50,487 60
do pickled ... Brls.	25	175 00	38	266 00
Mackerel ... "	2,891½	17,533 00	2,794½	16,967 00
Sardines ... "	4,648	13,944 00	3,508	10,553 00
Sturgeon ... "	1,136	5,680 00	2,260	13,629 00
do ... Lbs.	149,400	7,470 00	.....	.....
Trout ... "	553,042	37,891 36	516,613	34,149 04
do ... Brls.	121½	972 00	298	2,384 00
Winnonish ... Pieces.	36,600	9,150 00	42,160	10,540 00
Bar and White fish ... Doz.	5,270	6,587 50	6,989	8,736 25
Bar Fish ... Lbs.	11,400	912 00	5,210	416 80
White Fish ... "	46,620	3,729 60	55,680	4,454 40
Maskinongé ... Pieces.	lbs. 128,160	7,689 60	182,695	14,615 60
Bass ... Brls.	" 161,950	9,717 00	163,154	13,052 33
Pickerel ... "	" 252,100	15,126 00	305,115	15,255 75
Pike ... "	" 295,200	14,760 00	136,080	10,886 40
Tom Cod ... "	6,890	10,335 00	3,500	5,250 00
Cod Tongues and Sounds ... "	144	1,296 00	185	1,665 00
Lobsters, canned ... Lbs.	860,916	129,137 40	722,958	108,443 70
Small Fish ... Brls.	2,103	4,206 00	} brls. 15,558	57,414 00
Mixed Fish ... Lbs.	1,349,400	26,988 00		
Seal Skins ... No.	58,201	58,201 00	13,417	13,417 00
Porpoise Skins ... "	8	32 00	94	376 00
Seal Oil ... Galls.	220,157	110,078 50	54,540	32,724 00
Whale Oil ... "	12,985	5,194 00	7,880	4,728 00
Cod Oil ... "	333,310	133,324 00	170,232	102,139 20
Porpoise Oil ... "	497	248 50	19,636	9,835 70
Fish used as bait and manure ... Brls.	125,716	117,011 50	115,989½	104,198 00
Fish used for local consumption ... "	20,270	81,080 00	18,185	72,740 00
Total ...	.....	$2,751,962 50	.....	$1,976,515 81

COMPARATIVE Statement of Production in each Branch of Fisheries, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.		1882.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
			$ cts.		$ cts.
Codfish	Cwt.	16,934	71,969 50	13,942	59,253 50
Herring	Brls.	24,445	97,780 00	31,545	126,180 00
do smoked	Boxes.	60	15 00	278	69 50
Mackerel	Brls.	36,083	360,830 00	31,293	312,930 00
do preserved	Cans.	228,953	34,342 95	430,819	64,622 85
Haddock	Lbs.	72,610	4,356 60	27,750	1,665 00
Hake	Cwt.	8,023	28,080 50	9,615	33,652 50
Salmon, fresh	Lbs.	2,545	381 75	9,666	1,449 90
Alewives	Brls.	1,917	6,709 50	1,655	5,792 50
Halibut	Lbs.	4,575	274 50	5,900	354 00
Bass	"	1,600	96 00	800	48 00
Trout	"	19,830	1,189 80	24,750	1,485 00
Smelts	"	69,800	2,094 00	82,500	4,950 00
Eels	"	17,500	1,050 00	59,190	3,551 40
Shad	"			200	12 00
Oysters	Brls.	20,815	62,445 00	57,042	171,126 00
Lobsters, preserved	Lbs.	6,312,865	1,262,573 00	5,198,720	1,039,744 00
Cod and Hake Sounds	"	18,923	14,192 25	22,870	14,865 50
Fish Oil	Galls.	9,313	6,053 45	12,324	8,010 60
do Guano	Tons.	2	30 00	3	45 00
Manure	"				
do	"	4,130	826 00	2,940	5,880 00
Total			1,955,289 80		1,855,687 25

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported to each Country from the Dominion of Canada, during the Fiscal Year ended 30th June, 1882.

Articles.	Countries to which Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$
Codfish, including Haddock, Ling and Pollock, fresh	United States	219,883	4,135			219,883	4,135
		Cwt.				Cwt.	
" Dry salted	Great Britain	21,956	83,305			21,956	83,305
	United States	173,274	565,979			173,274	565,979
	Newfoundland	4,319	16,751			4,319	16,751
	British W. Indies	227,603	966,912			227,603	966,912
	Spanish W. Indies	208,718	828,553			208,718	828,553
	French W. Indies	28,753	115,514			28,753	115,514
	Danish W. Indies	4,952	21,494			4,952	21,494
	Hayti	2,578	4,611			2,578	4,611
	British Guiana	31,902	129,162			31,902	129,162
	Brazil	90,054	409,826			90,054	409,826
	Portugal	32,540	60,111			32,540	60,111
	Italy	38,778	155,865			38,778	155,865
	Madeira	4,873	18,777			4,873	18,777
	Australia	53	600			53	600
	Austria	2,070	10,351			2,070	10,351
		872,423	3,387,811			872,423	3,387,811
		Cwt.				Cwt.	
" Wet salted	Great Britain	7	21			7	21
	United States	9,935	32,854			9,935	32,854
		9,942	32,875			9,942	32,875
		Brls.				Brls.	
" Pickled	Great Britain	55	218			55	218
	United States	420	1,353			420	1,353
	British W. Indies	1	5			1	5
	British Guiana	2	6			2	6
		478	1,582			478	1,582
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
" Smoked	United States	19,510	1,233			19,510	1,233
Mackerel, fresh	Great Britain	19,152	1,397			19,152	1,397
	United States	278,099	11,642			278,099	11,642
		297,251	13,039			297,251	13,039
" Canned	Great Britain	2,400	150			2,400	150
	United States	91,238	6,970			91,238	6,970
	Australia	1,200	100			1,200	100
	France	2,400	175			2,400	175
		97,238	7,395			97,238	7,395

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries to which Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Brls.	$	Brls.	$	Brls.	$
Mackerel, pickled.....	Great Britain	39	542	.....	.....	39	542
	United States.....	55,873	338,223	80	300	55,953	338,523
	British W. Indies	11,520	72,817	.....	.....	11,520	72,817
	Spanish W. Indies	4,617	25,545	.....	.....	4,617	25,545
	French W. Indies	559	2,654	.....	.....	559	2,654
	Danish W. Indies	433	2,850	.....	.....	433	2,850
	British Guiana...	1,711	9,707	.....	.....	1,711	9,707
	Brazil	89	775	.....	.....	89	775
		74,841	453,113	80	300	74,921	453,413
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
Halibut, fresh.....	United States	145,580	6,806	.....	.....	145,580	6,806
	British W. Indies	500	45	.....	.....	500	45
		146,080	6,851	.....	.....	146,080	6,851
		Brls.				Brls.	
" Pickled	United States.....	22	132	.....	.....	22	132
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
Herring, fresh.....	United States.....	4,811,799	51,568	.....	.....	4,811,799	51,568
		Brls.		Brls.		Brls.	
" Pickled	Great Britain	69	321	.....	.....	69	321
	United States.....	58,110	197,790	775	3,384	58,885	201,174
	Newfoundland ...	43	86	.....	.....	43	86
	British W. Indies	30,461	122,009	.....	.....	30,461	122,009
	Spanish W. Indies	3,880	15,430	.....	.....	3,880	15,430
	French W. Indies	2,375	7,844	.....	.....	2,375	7,844
	Danish W. Indies	715	2,580	.....	.....	715	2,580
	Hayti.....	32	107	.....	.....	32	107
	British Guiana...	2,190	9,648	.....	.....	2,190	9,648
	St. Pierre.	6	24	.....	.....	6	24
	Madeira	10	43	.....	.....	10	43
	Australia	5	33	.....	.....	5	33
	China	5	33	.....	.....	5	33
	Brazil	106	368	.....	.....	106	368
		98,007	356,316	775	3,384	98,782	359,700
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
" Smoked.....	Great Britain	218,948	8,384	.....	.....	218,948	8,384
	United States.....	10,226,597	144,553	.....	.....	10,226,597	144,553
	Newfoundland ...	7,830	169	.....	.....	7,830	169
	British W. Indies	151,148	3,689	.....	.....	151,148	3,639
	Spanish W. Indies	9,440	248	.....	.....	9,440	248
	French W. Indies	39,860	826	.....	.....	39,86	826
	Danish W. Indies	13 120	466	.....	.....	13,120	466
	British Guiana...	55,254	1,297	.....	.....	55,254	1,297
	St. Pierre.....	890	4	.....	.....	890	4
	Madeira	3,950	109	.....	.....	3,950	109
	Canary Islands .	1,700	13	.....	.....	1,700	13
	Brazil	1,900	63	.....	.....	1,900	63
		10,730,637	159,821	.....	.....	10,730,637	159,821

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries to which Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Lbs.	$		$	Lbs.	$
Sea Fish, other, fresh...	United States....	31,692	1,562	.....	.....	31,692	1,562
		Brls.				Brls.	
" Pickled.	Great Britain	1	6	.....	.....	1	6
	United States....	5,163	21,380	.....	.....	5,163	21,380
	British W. Indies	3,823	13,290	.....	.....	3,823	13,290
	Spanish W. Indies	653	1,881	.....	.....	653	1,881
	French W. Indies	125	462	.....	.....	125	462
	Danish W. Indies	276	1,065	.....	.....	276	1,065
	Hayti	237	824	.....	.....	237	824
	British Guiana...	75	222	.....	.....	75	222
	Brazil.....	102	323	.....	.....	102	323
		10,455	39,453	.....	.....	10,455	39,453
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
" Preserved. ...	United States....	12,848	770	.....	.....	12,848	770
	Brazil.....	8,000	830	.....	.....	8,000	830
		20,848	1,600	.....	.....	20,848	1,600
		Brls.		Brls.		Brls.	
Oysters, fresh.....	Great Britain	38	149	.....	.....	38	149
	United States....	88	196	1	5	89	201
	Newfoundland ...	111	170	.....	.....	111	170
	St. Pierre.....	96	159	.....	.....	96	159
	British W. Indies	27	68	.....	.....	27	68
		360	742	1	5	361	747
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
" In cans.....	Brazil.....	1,728	300	.....	.....	1,728	300
	British W. Indies	96	9	.....	.....	96	9
		1,824	309	.....	.....	1,824	309
		Brls.				Brls.	
Lobsters, fresh.....	United States....	2,922	14,410	.....	.....	2,922	14,410
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
" Preserved.....	Great Britain.....	10,675,124	1,046,009	.....	.....	10,675,124	1,046,009
	United States. ...	3,828,336	354,593	.....	.....	3,828,336	354,593
	British W. Indies	57,938	6,233	.....	.....	57,938	6,233
	British Guiana...	480	45	.....	.....	480	45
	Brazil.....	14,532	1,473	.....	.....	14,532	1,473
	Uruguay.....	4,800	480	.....	.....	4,800	480
	Australia.....	7,200	600	.....	.....	7,200	600
	France.....	179,752	17,008	.....	.....	179,752	17,008
	Germany.	21,790	2,900	.....	.....	21,790	2,900
	Argentine Republic.....	19,200	2,400	.....	.....	19,200	2,400
		14,809,152	1,431,741	.....	.....	14,809,152	1,431,741

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries to which Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Brls.	$		$	Brls.	$
Bait, Fish	United States	168	425			168	425
	Newfoundland	5	14			5	14
	St. Pierre	1,770	5,640			1,770	5,640
		1,943	6,079			1,943	6,079
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
Salmon, fresh	United States	1,016,888	139,053			1,016,888	139,053
		Lbs.		Lbs.		Lbs.	
Salmon, smoked	Great Britain	35	5			35	6
	United States	4,432	728			4,432	728
	British W. Indies	20	6			20	6
		4,487	739			4,487	739
		Lbs.		Lbs.		Lbs.	
" Canned	Great Britain	7,008,992	845,124			7,008,922	845,124
	United States	279,728	30,533			279,728	30,533
	British W. Indies	60	10			60	10
	Australia	183,640	19,845	19,200	2,160	202,840	22,005
	British Guiana	480	60			480	60
	Chili	14,400	1,500			14,400	1,500
	Brazil	720	100			720	100
		7,488,020	897,172	19,200	2,160	7,507,220	899,332
		Brls.		Brls.		Brls.	
" Pickled	Great Britain	116	955			116	955
	United States	4,946	62,837	25	381	4,971	63,218
	British W. Indies	154	2,557			154	2,557
	Danish W. Indies	28	535			28	535
	British Guiana	4	68			4	68
	Australia	1,074	8,044			1,074	8,044
	Sandwich Islands	267	1,467			267	1,467
		6,589	76,463	25	381	6,614	76,844
Fish, all other, fresh	United States		258,825		2		258,827
	Great Britain		143				143
	British W. Indies		25				25
	St. Pierre		3				3
			258,995		2		258,998
		Brls.				Brls.	
" Pickled	Great Britain	7	30			7	30
	United States	3,942	26,787			3,942	26,787
	British W. Indies	19	115			19	115
	Spanish W. Indies	4	51			4	51
	Australia	12	100			12	160
	Newfoundland	3	60			3	60
		3,987	27,143			3,987	27,143

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries to which Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Galls.	$	Galls.	$	Galls.	$
Fish Oil, Cod	Great Britain	67,801	33,233			67,801	33,233
	United States	145,167	65,923	32	30	145,199	65,953
	British W. Indies	1,272	600			1,272	600
		214,240	99,756	32	30	214,272	99,786
		Galls.				Galls.	
" Seal	Great Britain	41,799	16,713			41,799	16,713
	United States	2,010	828			2,010	828
	British W. Indies	396	186			396	186
		44,205	17,727			44,205	17,727
Whale Oil	Great Britain	10,876	5,151			10,876	5,151
	United States			11,237	6,076	11,237	6,076
		10,876	5,151	11,237	6,076	22,113	11,227
Oil, Other	Great Britain	74,540	25,007			74,540	25,007
	United States	39,382	13,423	3,447	2,747	42,829	16,170
	China	500	150			500	150
	Australia	200	80			200	80
		114,622	38,660	3,447	2,747	118,069	41,407
Furs and Skins of Marine Animals	Great Btitain		61,938		250		62,188
	United States		17,750				17,750
			79,688		250		79,938
Other Articles, the produce of the Fisheries.	Great Britain		1,181				1,181
	United States		67,943		194		68,137
	British W. Indies		243				243
	Spanish W. Indies		99				99
	Danish W. Indies		10				10
	British Guiana		200				200
	Brazil		88				88
			69,764		194		69,958

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Produce of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

ABSTRACT BY COUNTRIES.

Countries to which Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.	Goods, not the Produce of Canada.	Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.
	Value.	Value.	Value.
	$	$	$
Great Britain	2,129,982	250	2,130,232
United States	2,441,204	13,119	2,454,323
Newfoundland	17,250	.....	17,250
British West Indies	1,188,819	.....	1,188,819
Spanish West Indies	871,807	.....	871,807
French West Indies	127,300	.....	127,300
Danish West Indies	29,000	.....	29,000
British Guiana	150,415	.....	150,415
Hayti	5,542	.....	5,542
St. Pierre	5,830	.....	5,830
Brazil	414,146	.....	414,146
Chili	1,500	.....	1,500
Uruguay	480	.....	480
Argentine Republic	2,400	.....	2,400
France	17,183	.....	17,183
Germany	2,900	.....	2,900
Portugal	60,111	.....	60,111
Italy	155,865	.....	155,865
Austria	10 351	.....	10,351
Madeira	18,929	.....	18,929
Canary Islands	13	.....	13
Australia	29,402	2,160	31,562
China	183	.....	183
Sandwich Islands	1,467	.....	1,467
Total	7,682,079	15,529	7,697,608
Total export of Fish to United States	2,441,204	13,119	2,454,323
do do other countries	5,240,875	2,410	5,243,285
Grand Total Exports of Fish	7,682,079	15,529	7,697,608

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish, and products of Fish Imported into, and Entered for Consumption in the Dominion of Canada; also the Duty collected thereon, during the Fiscal Year ending 30th June, 1882.

Articles.	Countries whence Imported.	Imported.		Entered for Home Consumption.		Duty.
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
DUTIABLE.		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	$ cts.
Fish, fresh	Great Britain	368	14	368	14	3 68
	United States	36,161	2,104	36,161	2,104	361 61
		36,529	2,118	36,529	2,118	365 29
" Salted or smoked	Great Britain	12,249	1,092	12,249	1,092	122 49
	United States	99,090	5,455	99,090	5,455	990 33
	St. Pierre	300	6	300	6	3 00
	China	37,567	1,890	33,807	1,798	338 07
		149,206	8,443	145,386	8,347	1,453 89
" Oysters, in cans, fresh	United States	1,328	129	1,328	129	25 85
" " Preserved	United States	41,090	4,035	39,650	3,882	776 29
" Lobsters, preserved	Great Britain	42	7	42	7	1 40
	United States	9,586	1,195	9,576	1,185	236 96
		9,628	1,202	9,618	1,192	238 36
" Other, preserved in oil	Great Britain	.....	50,809	.....	49,891	9,978 20
	United States	.....	44,288	.....	35,305	7,060 98
	France	.....	5,782	.....	3,183	636 60
	China	.....	2,019	.....	2,024	404 80
		.....	102,898	.....	90,403	18,080 58
		Galls.		Galls.		
Oils, Cod Liver, medicated	Great Britain	2,169	2,956	2,144	2,939	587 85
	United States	2,559	2,842	2,559	2,842	568 40
	Norway	.....	.....	219	323	64 60
		4,728	5,798	4,992	6,104	1,220 85
Oil, Sperm	Great Britain	56	90	56	90	18 00
	United States	8,305	8,825	7,325	7,844	1,568 80
	Japan	7,866	4,720	.....	.....	....
		16,227	13,635	7,381	7,934	1,586 80
Oil, Whale or Fish, not elsewhere specified	United States	3,454	1,541	3,454	1,541	308 20

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries whence Imported.	Imported.		Entered for Home Consumption.		Duty.
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
FREE.		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	$ cts.
Cod, Haddock, Ling and Pollock, fresh	United States	1,900,539	54,726	1,900,539	54,726	
" Dry salted or smoked	United States	Cwt. 35,022	160,523	Cwt. 35,022	160,523	
" Wet salted	United States	Cwt. 1,020	2,300	Cwt. 1,020	2,300	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 50	314	Brls. 50	314	
Halibut, fresh	United States	Lbs. 8,172	855	Lbs. 8,172	855	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 1½	11	Brls. 1½	11	
Herring, fresh	United States	Lbs. 152,497	3,544	Lbs. 152,497	3,544	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 2,051	8,152	Brls. 2,051	8,152	
" Smoked	Great Britain United States	Lbs. 800 264,568	16 8,267	Lbs. 800 264,568	16 8,267	
		265,368	8,283	265,368	8,283	
Mackerel, fresh	United States	Lbs. 15,880	1,351	Lbs. 15,880	1,351	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 1,113	6,835	Brls. 1,113	6,835	
Sea-fish, other, fresh	United States	Lbs. 10,063	705	Lbs. 10,063	705	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 11	107	Brls. 11	107	
" Preserved	United States	Lbs. 20,613	1,279	Lbs. 20,613	1,279	
Oysters, fresh, in shell	United States	Brls. 2,800	13,070	Brls. 2,800	13,070	
" " in cans	United States	Lbs. 857,077	95,386	Lbs. 857,077	95,386	
" Shelled, in bulk	United States	Galls. 188,702	152,112	Galls. 188,702	152,112	
Lobsters, fresh	United States	Brls. 738	4,231	Brls. 738	4,231	

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries whence Imported.	Imported.		Entered for Home Consumption.		Duty.
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
FREE—*Continued.*		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	$ cts.
Lobsters, Fresh in cans	United States	3,779	517	3,779	517	
" Preserved in cans	United States	9,185	902	9,185	902	
Bait, Fish, Clams or other, fresh or salted	United States	Brls. 3,788	24,506	Brls. 3,788	24,506	
Salmon, fresh	United States	Lbs. 2,186	461	Lbs. 2,186	461	
" Smoked	United States	Lbs. 9,160	1,089	Lbs. 9,160	1,089	
" Canned	United States	Lbs. 321,888	33,853	Lbs. 321,888	33,853	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 227	2,519	Brls. 227	2,519	
Fish, all other, fresh	United States		1,095		1,095	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 56	152	Brls. 56	152	
Fish Oil, Cod, not elsewhere specified	United States	Galls. 24,855	11,140	Galls. 24,855	11,140	
" Whale, in casks, from on ship board, and in the condition in which it was first landed	United States	4,139	2 969	4,139	2,969	
" Other	United States	8,496	4,062	8,496	4,062	
Furs or Skins, undressed, the produce of Fish	United States		187		187	
Pearl, Mother of, unmanufactured	United States		17		17	
Tortoise and other Shells	Great Britain		205		205	
	United States		1,185		1,185	
	British W. Indies		8		8	
			1,398		1,398	

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries whence Imported.	Imported.		Entered for Home Consumption.		Duty.
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
FREE—*Continued.*		No.	$	No.	$	$ cts.
Turtles	United States	31	226	31	226	
	British W. Indies	3	8	3	8	
		34	234	34	234	
Whalebone, unmanufactured.	Great Britain		302		302	
	United States		3,455		3,455	
			3,757		3,757	
Produce of Newfoundland.						
Fish, fresh, dried, salted or smoked	Newfoundland		397,803		384,513	
Fish oil and products of fish	do		89,728		89,728	
Seal Oil	do	Galls. 4,550	2,000	Galls. 4,550	2,000	

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish, &c.—*Continued.*

ABSTRACT BY COUNTRIES.

—	Dutiable.	Free.	Dutiable.	Free.	Duty Collected.
	$	$	$	$	$ cts.
Great Britain	54,968	523	54,033	523	10,711 62
United States	70,414	602,103	60,283	602,103	11,897 42
France	5,782	.....	3,183	.....	636 60
Japan	4,720	.....	.....	.....	.....
China	3,909	.....	3,822	.....	742 87
Norway	.....	.....	323	.....	64 60
St. Pierre	6	.....	6	.....	3 00
British West Indies	.....	16	.....	16	.....
Newfoundland	.....	489,531	.....	476,241	.....
Total	139,799	1,092,173	121,650	1,078,883	24,056 11

	Imported.	Entered for Home Consumption.	Duty Collected.
	$	$	$ cts.
Total Dutiable	139,799	121,650	24,056 11
Total Free	1,092,173	1,078,883	.....
Total value of fish and fish products for year ending 30th June, 1882	1,231,972	1,200,533	24,056 11
Total from United States	672,517	662,386	11,897 42
do other Countries	559,455	538,147	12,158 69
Total	1,231,972	1,200,533	24,056 11

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Imported and entered for Consumption in the Dominion of Canada; also the Duty collected thereon during the Six Months ended 31st December, 1882.

Articles.	Countries whence Imported.	Imported.		Entered for Home Consumption.		
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Duty Collected.
DUTIABLE.		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	$ cts.
Fish, fresh	United States	21,712	1,397	21,712	1,397	217 22
Fish, salted or smoked	Great Britain	Lbs. 26,091	2,380	Lbs. 25,947	2,345	259 47
	United States	125,900	6,301	125,900	6,301	1,259 00
	St. Pierre	450,800	19,710	.....	.....	.....
	China	16,660	322	16,315	310	163 15
		619,451	28,713	168,162	8,956	1,681 62
Oysters, preserved	United States	37,607	3,095	34,247	2,877	575 40
Lobsters, preserved	United States	9,732	1,150	8,242	1,001	200 20
Fish, other, preserved in oil	Great Britain	.....	31,319	.....	29,848	5,969 60
	United States	.....	25,304	.....	28,867	5,773 40
	France	.....	6,027	.....	8,338	1,667 60
	China	.....	903	.....	918	183 60
	Spain	.....	487	.....	487	97 40
		.....	64,040	.....	68,458	13,691 60
Oil, Cod Liver, medicated	Great Britain	Galls. 603	669	Galls. 748	834	166 80
	United States	442	567	442	567	113 40
	France	2	7	2	7	1 40
	Norway	700	584	700	584	116 80
		1,747	1,827	1,892	1,992	398 40
Oil, Sperm	Great Britain	16	74	16	74	14 80
	United States	3,484	4,250	2,892	3,530	706 90
		3,500	4,324	2,908	3,604	721 70
Oil, Whale or Fish, not otherwise specified	United States	4,266	1,167	4,266	1,167	233 40
FREE.		Lbs.		Lbs.		
Cod, Haddock, Ling and Pollock, fresh	United States	704,982	23,193	704,982	23,193	.....
" Dry salted	United States	Cwt. 19,069	100,994	Cwt. 19,069	100,994	.....
" Wet salted	United States	Cwt. 1,018	2,839	Cwt. 1,018	2,839	.....
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 37	374	Brls. 37	374	.....

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries whence Imported.	Imported.		Entered for Home Consumption.		Duty.
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
FREE—*Continued.*		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	$ cts.
Halibut, fresh	United States	9,902	708	9,902	708	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 5	53	Brls. 5	53	
Herring, fresh	United States	Lbs. 4,600	143	Lbs. 4,600	143	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 1,810	7,710	Brls. 1,810	7,710	
" Smoked	United States	Lbs. 151,575	6,108	Lbs. 151,575	6,108	
Mackerel, fresh	United States	15,493	1,713	15,493	1,713	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 1,740	10,564	Brls. 1,740	10,564	
Sea Fish, other, fresh	United States	Lbs. 3,145	319	Lbs. 3,145	319	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 474	1,815	Brls. 474	1,815	
" Preserved	United States	Lbs. 16,516	1,117	Lbs. 16,516	1,117	
Oysters, fresh, in shell	United States	Brls. 826	3,894	Brls. 826	3,894	
" Fresh, in cans	United States	Lbs. 532,183	68,709	Lbs. 532,183	68,709	
" Shelled, in bulk	United States	Galls. 101,540	81,043	Galls. 101,540	81,043	
Lobsters, fresh	United States	Brls. 384	2,101	Brls. 384	2,101	
" Fresh, in cans	United States	Lbs 5,253	221	Lbs. 5,253	221	
" Preserved in cans	United States	1,943	313	1,943	313	
Baitfish, Clams or other	United States	Brls. 31	217	Brls. 31	217	

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles.	Countries whence Imported.	Imported.		Entered for Home Consumption.		Duty.
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	
FREE—*Continued.*		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	$ cts.
Salmon, fresh	United States	756	210	756	210	
" Smoked	United States	1,792	289	1,792	289	
" Canned	United States	248,008	27,610	248,008	27,610	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 129	1,224	Brls. 129	1,224	
Fish, all other, fresh	United States		1,079		1,079	
" Pickled	United States	Brls. 114	249	Brls. 114	249	
Fish Oil, Cod	United States	Galls. 40.540	20,716	Galls. 40,540	20,716	
" Seal	United States	2,469	438	2,469	438	
Fish Oil, Whale, in casks, from on ship board, and in the condition in which it was first landed	United States	Galls. 1,119	696	Galls. 1,119	696	
" Other	United States	Galls. 50,908	23,937	Galls. 50,908	23,937	
Pearl, Mother of, unmanufactured	United States		798		798	
Tortoise and other Shells	Great Britain		312		312	
	United States		409		409	
	British W. Indies.		26		26	
			747		747	
Turtles	United States	No. 17	151	No. 17	151	
Whalebone	Great Britain		46		46	
	United States		2,160		2,160	
			2,206		2,206	
Produce of Newfoundland—Fish, fresh, dried, salted or smoked	Newfoundland		450,361		444,766	
Fish Oil and Products of Fish	Newfoundland		95,291		95,291	
Seal Oil	Newfoundland	Galls. 65,358	42,325	Galls. 65,358	42,325	

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish, &c.—*Continued.*

ABSTRACT BY COUNTRIES.

—	Dutiable.	Free.	Dutiable.	Free.	Duty.
	$	$	$	$	$ cts.
Great Britain	34,442	358	33,101	358	6,410 67
United States	43,231	394,114	45,707	394,114	9,078 82
France	6,034	.....	8,345	.....	1,669 00
Spain	487	.....	487	.....	97 40
Norway	584	.....	584	.....	116 80
St. Pierre	19,710	.....	.....	.....	.....
British West Indies	.....	26	.....	26	.....
China	1,225	.....	1,228	.....	346 75
Newfoundland	.....	587,977	.....	582,382	.....
Total	105,713	982,475	89,452	976,880	17,719 44

	Total Imports.	Total Consumption.	Duty.
	$	$	$
Dutiable	105,713	89,452	17,719 44
Free	982,475	976,880	.....
Total Fish and Products of Fish for six months ending 31st December, 1882	1,088,188	1,066,332	17,719 44

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish exported from the Dominion of Canada, during the Six Months ending 31st December, 1882.

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce, and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Codfish, including Haddock, Ling and Pollock, fresh—		Lbs.	$		$	Lbs.	$
United States...	Nova Scotia.....	485,725	14,725	.....	.....	485,725	14,725
" Dry salted—		Cwt.		Cwt.		Cwt.	
Great Britain...	Quebec.....	14,227	70,191	.....	.....	14,227	70,191
	Nova Scotia.....	3,426	18,489	.....	.....	3,426	18,489
	P. E. Island	1	8	.....	.....	1	8
		17,654	88,688	.....	.....	17,654	88,688
" United States...	Quebec.....	221	1,535	.....	.....	221	1,535
	Nova Scotia	110,854	486,656	.....	.....	110,854	486,656
	New Brunswick.	11,163	35,510	.....	.....	11,163	35,510
	P. E. Island	1,963	7,653	.....	.....	1,963	7,653
		124,201	531,354	....	.....	124,201	531,354
" Brit. W. Indies.	Quebec	1,754	6,950	.....	.....	1,754	6,950
	Nova Scotia	91,866	520,572	1,008	4,500	92,874	525,072
	P. E. Island.....	628	2,664	.....	.....	628	2,664
		94,248	530,186	1,008	4,500	95,256	534,686
" Span. W. Indies	Nova Scotia	61,703	325,530	....	.....	61,703	325,530
" French W. Indies	Nova Scotia	37,804	174,770	.....	.....	37,804	174,770
" Dan. W. Indies.	Quebec	534	2,615	....	.....	534	2,615
	Nova Scotia.....	3,986	18,779	.....	.....	3,986	18,779
		4,529	21,394	.....	.....	4,529	21,394
" Hayti	Nova Scotia	1,001	5,104	.....	....	1,001	5,104
" British Guiana.	Nova Scotia.....	17,380	90,153	.....	.....	17,380	90,153
" Brazil	Quebec	42,170	230,318	.....	.....	42,170	230,318
	Nova Scotia.....	183	856	.....	.....	183	856
		42,353	231,174	....	....	42,353	231,174
" Portugal	Quebec	12,566	62,591	.....	.....	12,566	62,591
" Italy.....	Quebec	29,487	150,335	.....	....	29,487	150,335
	Nova Scotia	2,029	10,398	.....	....	2,029	10,398
	New Brunswick.	10,717	49,089	.....	.....	10,717	49,089
		42,233	209,822	.....	.....	42,233	209,822

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Codfish, including, Haddock, Ling and Pollock, dry salted—		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$
Madeira.....	Nova Scotia	3,604	20,455	.....	.....	3,604	20,455
		Cwt.		Cwt.		Cwt.	
Total.....	Quebec	100,968	524,535	.....	.....	100,968	524,535
	Nova Scotia	333,836	1,671,762	1,008	4,500	334,844	1,676,262
	New Brunswick..	21,880	84,599	.....	.....	21,880	84,599
	P. E. Island	2,592	10,325	.....	.....	2,592	10,325
		459,276	2,291,221	1,008	4,500	460,284	2,295,721
" Wet salted—		Cwt.				Cwt.	
Great Britain...	Quebec....	17	68	.....	.....	17	68
" United States...	Nova Scotia.....	20,094	95,645	.....	.....	20,094	95,645
	New Brunswick.	300	600	.....	.....	300	600
		20,394	96,245	.....	.....	20,394	96,245
" Total.		Cwt.				Cwt.	
	Quebec	17	68	.....	.....	17	68
	Nova Scotia	20,094	95,645	.....	.....	20,094	95,645
	New Brunswick.	300	600	.....	.....	300	600
		20,411	96,313	.....	.....	20,411	96,313
" Pickled—		Brls.				Brls.	
Great Britain...	Nova Scotia	45	244	.....	.....	45	244
" United States...	Quebec	20	111	.....	.....	20	111
	Nova Scotia	420	2,405	.....	.....	420	2,405
	New Brunswick..	9	43	.....	.....	9	43
	P. E. Island	98	392	.....	.....	98	392
		547	2,951	.....	.....	547	2,951
" Total.....		Brls.				Brls.	
	Quebec....	20	111	.....	.....	20	111
	Nova Scotia	465	2,649	.....	.....	465	2,649
	New Brunswick.	9	43	.....	.....	9	43
	P. E. Island	98	392	.....	.....	98	392
		592	3,195	.....	.....	592	3,195
" Smoked—		Lbs.				Lbs.	
United States...	New Brunswick.	16,230	1,098	.....	.....	16,230	1,098
Mackerel, fresh—		Lbs.				Lbs.	
Great Britain...	P. E. Island	96	37	.....	.....	96	37
" United States...	Nova Scotia.....	34,008	3,409	.....	.....	34,008	3,409
	New Brunswick.	12,049	665	.....	.....	12,049	665
	P. E. Island	6,816	568	.....	.....	6,816	568
		52,873	4,642	.....	.....	52,873	4,642

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Mackerel, fresh—		Lbs.	$			Lbs.	$
Total.....	Nova Scotia	34,008	3,409	.....	.....	34,008	3,409
	New Brunswick.	12,049	665	.....	.....	12,049	665
	P. E. Island	6,912	605	.....	.....	6,912	605
		52,969	4,679	.....	.....	52,969	4,679
" Canned—							
Great Britain...	New Brunswick.	10,944	766	.....	.....	10,944	766
" United States...	P. E. Island	5,812	476	.....	.....	5,812	476
" Total.....	New Brunswick.	10,944	766	.....	.....	10,944	766
	P. E. Island	5,812	476	.....	.....	5,812	476
		16,756	1,242	.....	.....	16,756	1,242
" Pickled—		Brls.				Brls.	
Great Britain...	Quebec	2	8	.....	.....	2	8
" United States...	Quebec	9	70	.....	.....	9	70
	Nova Scotia	12,188	89,696	.....	.....	12,188	89,696
	New Brunswick.	3,561	27,603	.....	.....	3,561	27,603
	P. E. Island	10,783	61,816	.....	.....	10,783	61,816
		26,541	179,185	.....	.....	26,541	179,185
" Brit. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia.....	6,453	47,160	.....	.....	6,453	47,160
" Span. W. Indies	Nova Scotia	2,203	16,151	.....	.....	2,203	16,151
" FrenchW.Indies	Nova Scotia	143	1,005	.....	.....	143	1,005
" Dan. W. Indies	Quebec	6	24	.....	.....	6	24
	Nova Scotia	300	2,001	.....	.....	300	2,001
		306	2,025	.....	.....	306	2,025
" Hayti.....	Nova Scotia	35	245	.....	.....	35	245
" British Guiana.	Nova Scotia	1,178	8,396	.....	.....	1,178	8,396
" Italy.....	Quebec	1	5	.....	.....	1	5
" Total	Quebec	18	107	.....	.....	18	107
	Nova Scotia	22,500	164,654	.....	.....	22,500	164,654
	New Brunswick..	3,561	27,603	.....	.....	3,561	27,603
	P. E. Island.....	10,783	61,816	.....	.....	10,783	61,816
		36,862	254,180	.....	.....	36,862	254,180

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Lbs.	$		$	Lbs.	$
Halibut, fresh—							
United States...	Nova Scotia	38,460	1,747	.....	.....	38,460	1,747
	British Columbia	2,095	163	.....	.....	2,095	163
		40,555	1,910	.....	.....	40,555	1,910
" Pickled—		Brls.				Brls.	
United States...	Nova Scotia	15	78	.....	.....	15	78
Herrings, fresh—		Lbs.				Lbs.	
United States	Nova Scotia.....	15,000	60	.....	.....	15,000	60
" Pickled—		Brls.				Brls.	
Great Britain...	Quebec	156	780	.....	.....	156	780
Herrings, pickled—		Brls.		Brls.		Brls.	
United States...	Ontario	10	58	.....	.....	10	58
	Quebec	5,534	18,891	10	63	5,544	18,954
	Nova Scotia	37,680	154,523	150	412	37,830	154,935
	New Brunswick..	13,343	39,143	.....	.....	13,343	39,143
	British Columbia	208	1,660	.....	.....	208	1,660
	P. E. Island	13	73	.....	.....	13	73
		56,788	214,348	160	475	56,948	214,823
" Brit W. Indies.	Quebec	115	346	.....	.....	115	346
	Nova Scotia	15,765	69,754	.....	.....	15,765	69,754
	New Brunswick.	14	56	.....	.....	14	56
		15,894	70,156	.....	.....	15,894	70,156
" Span. W. Indies	Nova Scotia	2,908	13,063	.....	.....	2,908	13,063
" French W. Indies	Nova Scotia	1,349	5,188	.....	.....	1,349	5,188
" Dan. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia	576	2,187	.....	.....	576	2,187
" British Guiana.	Nova Scotia	1,663	7,577	.....	.....	1,663	7,577
" Madeira	Nova Scotia	10	53	.....	.....	10	53
" Australia	British Columbia	75	650	.....	.....	75	650
Total.....	Ontario	10	58	.....	.....	10	58
	Quebec	5,805	20,017	10	63	5,815	20,080
	Nova Scotia	59,951	252,345	150	412	60,101	252,757
	New Brunswick.	13,357	39,199	.....	.....	13,357	39,199
	British Columbia	283	2,310	.....	.....	283	2,310
	P. E. Island	13	73	.....	.....	13	73
		79,419	314,002	160	475	79,579	314,477

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the produce of Canada.		Goods, not the produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$
Herrings, smoked— Great Britain ...	New Brunswick.	9,000	848	.....	.....	9,000	848
" United States...	Quebec	9,700	280	.....	.....	9,700	280
	Nova Scotia ...	145,390	3,019	.....	.....	145,390	3,019
	New Brunswick.	5,331,49	83,535	.....	.....	5,331,490	83,535
		5,486,580	86,834	.....	.....	5,486,580	86,834
" Newfoundland.	Quebec	2,064	39	.....	.....	2,064	39
	Nova Scotia	3,100	60	.....	.....	3,100	60
		5,164	99	.....	.....	5,164	99
" Brit. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia	87,825	1,986	.....	.....	87,825	1,986
	New Brunswick.	1,280	23	.....	.....	1,280	23
		89,105	2,009	.....	.....	89,105	2,005
Span. W. Indies	Nova Scotia.....	1,169	39	.....	.....	1,169	39
" Fren. W. Indies	Nova Scotia	41,665	1,120	.....	.....	41,665	1,120
" Dan. W. Indies	Nova Scotia.....	9,560	322	.....	.....	9,560	322
" British Guiana.	Nova Scotia.....	34,342	731	.....	.....	38,342	731
" Madeira.....	Nova Scotia.....	1,050	182	.....	.....	1,050	182
Total.....	Quebec.....	11,764	319	.....	.....	11,764	319
	Nova Scotia.....	324,101	7,459	.....	.....	324,101	7,459
	New Brunswick.	5,341,770	84,406	.....	.....	5,341,770	84,406
		5,677,635	92,184	.....	.....	5,677,635	92,184
Sea Fish, other, fresh— United States...	Nova Scotia.....	.....	32	.....	.....	.....	32
	New Brunswick..	.....	34,761	.....	.....	.....	34,761
		.....	34,793	.....	.....	.....	34,793
" St. Pierre.....	Nova Scotia.....	.....	7,512	.....	.....	.....	7,512
Total.....	Nova Scotia.....	.....	7,544	.....	.....	.....	7,544
	New Brunswick.	.....	34,761	.....	.....	.....	34,761
		.....	42,305	.....	.....	.....	42,305

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Province whence Imported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Sea-fish, other, pickled		Brls.	$			Brls.	$
Great Britain	Quebec	30	63	.....	.....	30	63
" United States..	Nova Scotia	1,340	7,836	.....	.....	1,340	7,836
	New Brunswick.	320	2,714	.....	.....	320	2,714
		1,660	10,550	.....	.....	1,660	10,550
" Brit. W. Indies	Nova Scotia	3,118	11,899	.....	.....	3,118	11,899
" Dan. W. Indies	Nova Scotia	239	946	.....	.....	239	946
" Hayti	Nova Scotia	217	868	.....	.....	217	868
" British Guiana	Nova Scotia	214	841	.....	.....	214	841
Total	Quebec	30	63	.....	.....	30	63
	Nova Scotia	5,128	22,390	.....	.....	5,128	22,390
	New Brunswick.	320	2,714	.....	.....	320	2,714
		5,478	25,167	.....	.....	5,478	25,167
" Preserved—		Lbs.				Lbs.	
United States	New Brunswick.	432	36	.....	.....	432	36
" Newfoundland.	P. E. Island	250	75	.....	.....	250	75
Total	New Brunswick.	432	36	.....	.....	432	36
	P. E. Island	250	75	.....	.....	250	75
		682	111	.....	.....	682	111
Oysters, fresh—		Brls.				Brls.	
Great Britain	Quebec	7	30	.....	.....	7	30
	P. E. Island	1	2	.....	.....	1	2
		8	32	.....	.....	8	32
" United States	New Brunswick.	91	219	.....	.....	91	219
" Newfoundland.	Quebec	1	5	.....	.....	1	5
	Nova Scotia	27	27	.....	.....	27	27
	P. E. Island	63	130	.....	.....	63	130
		91	162	.....	.....	91	162
" St. Pierre	Nova Scotia	112	172	.....	.....	112	172

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Oysters, fresh—		Brls.	$		$	Brls.	$
Brit. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia	1	4	.....	.....	1	4
	P. E. Island	1	3	.....	.....	1	3
		2	7	.....	.....	2	7
Total	Quebec	8	35	.....	.....	8	35
	Nova Scotia	140	203	.....	.....	140	203
	New Brunswick..	91	219	.....	.....	91	219
	P. E. Island	65	135	.....	.....	65	135
		304	592	.....	.....	304	592
" in cans—		Lbs.				Lbs.	
United States...	New Brunswick..	24	3	.....	.....	24	3
Lobsters, fresh—		Brls				Brls.	
United States...	Nova Scotia	1,281	7,036	.....	.....	1,281	7,036
" Preserved—		Lbs.				Lbs	
Great Britain...	Quebec	282,334	25,495	.....	.....	282,334	25,495
	Nova Scotia	4,111,620	406,007	.....	.....	4,111,620	406,007
	New Brunswick..	1,441,174	145,236	.....	.....	1,441,174	145,236
	P. E. Island	2,529,984	226,501	.....	.....	2,529,984	226,501
		8,365,112	803,239	.....	.....	8,365,112	803,239
" United States...	Nova Scotia	8,168	943	.....	.....	8,168	943
	New Brunswick..	220	22	.....	.....	220	22
	P. E. Island	812	65	.....	.....	812	65
		9,200	1,030	.....	.....	9,200	1,030
" Brit. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia	2,250,852	231,639	.....	.....	2,250,852	231,639
	New Brunswick.	406,524	49,737	.....	.....	406 524	49,737
	P. E. Island	946,648	86,042	.....	.....	946,648	86,042
		3,604,024	367,418	.....	.....	3,604,024	367,418
" British Guiana.	P. E. Island	6,400	509	.....	.....	6,400	509
" Brazil	Nova Scotia	530	50	.....	.....	530	50
" Uruguay	Quebec	7,500	500	.....	.....	7,500	500
" Australia.....	New Brunswick.	48,000	4,000	.....	.....	48,000	4,000
" France.....	Nova Scotia.....	91,472	10,663	.....	.....	91,472	10,663
	New Brunswick..	39,328	4,059	.....	.....	39,328	4,059
		130,800	14,722	.....	.....	130,800	14,722

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Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Lbs.	$			Lbs.	$
Lobsters, preserved—							
Italy	Quebec	1,300	150			1,300	150
	New Brunswick.	384	46			384	46
		1,684	196			1,684	196
" Dan. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia	528	66			528	66
" Madeira	Nova Scotia	480	35			480	35
		Lbs				Lbs.	
" Total	Quebec	291,134	26,145			291,134	26,145
	Nova Scotia	6,463,650	649,403			6,463,650	649,403
	New Brunswick.	1,935.630	203,100			1,935,630	203,100
	P. E. Island	3,483,844	313,117			3,483,844	313,117
		12,174,258	1,191,765			12,174,258	1,191,765
Bait, Fish—		Brls.				Brls.	
St. Pierre	Nova Scotia	36	220			36	220
Salmon, fresh—		Lbs.				Lbs.	
United States	Quebec	17,166	1,877			17,166	1,877
	Nova Scotia	8,441	657			8,441	657
	New Brunswick.	560,007	92,592			560,007	92,592
		585,614	95,126			585,614	95,126
" Smoked—		Lbs.				Lbs.	
Great Britain	Quebec	150	10			150	10
" United States	New Brunswick.	6,518	1,052			6,518	1,052
	British Columbia	1,000	100			1,000	100
		7,518	1,152			7,518	1,152
" Dan. W. Indies	Nova Scotia	50	7			50	7
Total	Quebec	150	10			150	10
	Nova Scotia	50	7			50	7
	New Brunswick.	6,518	1,052			6,518	1,052
	British Columbia	1,000	100			1,000	100
		7,718	1,169			7,718	1,169
" Canned—							
Great Britain	British Columbia	9,620,188	1,013,386			9,620,188	1,013,386
	P. E. Island	48	10			48	10
		9,620,236	1,013,396			9,620,236	1,013,396

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Province whence Imported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$	Lbs.	$
Salmon, canned—							
United States...	Quebec	180	36	.....	.....	180	36
	Nova Scotia	3,419	471	.....	.....	3,419	471
	New Brunswick.	4,800	668	.....	.....	4,800	668
	British Columbia	15,888	1,665	.....	.....	15,888	1,665
		24,287	2,840	.....	.....	24,287	2,840
" Brit. W. Indies.	New Brunswick.	240	24	.....	.....	240	24
" Australia.....	British Columbia	121,200	12,625	.....	.....	121,200	12,625
" Japan	British Columbia	4,800	500	.....	.....	4,800	500
" British Africa .	British Columbia	9,600	1,000	.....	.....	9,600	1,000
		Lbs.				Lbs.	
Total	Quebec	180	36	.....	.....	180	30
	Nova Scotia	3,419	471	.....	.....	3,419	476
	New Brunswick.	5,040	692	.....	.....	5,040	691
	British Columbia	9,771,566	1,029,176	.....	.....	9,771,676	1,029,172
	P. E. Island.....	48	10	.....	.....	48	16
		9,780,363	1,030,385	.....	.....	9,780,363	1,030,385
" Pickled—		Brls.				Brls.	
Great Britain...	Quebec	9	160	.....	.....	9	160
	British Columbia	201	1,064	.....	.....	201	1,064
		210	1,224	.....	.....	210	1,224
" United States...	Quebec	90	1,973	.....	.....	90	1,973
	Nova Scotia	1,921	39,086	.....	.....	1,921	39,086
	New Brunswick.	2	36	.....	.....	2	36
	British Columbia	1,502	11,802	.....	.....	1,502	11,802
		3,515	52,897	.....	.....	3,515	52,897
" Brit. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia	110	2,223	.....	.....	110	2,223
" Dan. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia	11	230	.....	.....	11	230
" British Guiana.	Nova Scotia	2	28	.....	.....	2	28
" Australia	British Columbia	675	5,569	.....	.....	675	5,569
" Sandwich Isl'ds	British Columbia	150	1,050	.....	.....	150	1,050

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Salmon, pickled—		Brls.	$	Brls.	$	Brls.	$
Total....	Quebec	99	2,133			99	2,133
	Nova Scotia	2,044	41,567			2,044	41,567
	New Brunswick	2	36			2	36
	British Columbia	2,528	19,485			2,528	19,485
		4,673	63,221			4,673	63,221
Fish, all other, fresh—							
United States...	Ontario		95,129				95,129
	Quebec		23,940				23,940
	Nova Scotia		485				485
	New Brunswick		15,714				15,714
			135,268				135,268
" Newfoundland..	Quebec		375				375
" Total	Ontario		95,129				95,129
	Quebec		24,315				24,315
	Nova Scotia		485				485
	New Brunswick		15,714				15,714
			135,643				135,643
" Pickled—		Brls.				Brls.	
United States...	Ontario	3,682	13,324			3,682	13,324
	Quebec	310	3,142			310	3,142
	Nova Scotia	47	487			47	487
	British Columbia	20	109	20	90	40	199
	P. E. Island	1	4			1	4
		4,060	17,066	20	90	4,080	17,156
Fish Oil, Cod—		Galls.		Galls.		Galls.	
Great Britain...	Quebec	15,934	13,675			15,934	13,675
	Nova Scotia	3,293	1,635			3,293	1,635
		19,227	15,310			19,227	15,310
United States...	Quebec			13,395	17,657	13,395	17,657
	Nova Scotia	143,180	66,581			143,180	66,581
	New Brunswick	3,570	1,814			3,570	1,814
	P. E. Island	530	228			530	228
		147,280	68,623	13,395	17,657	160,675	86,280
" Brit. W. Indies.	Nova Scotia	226	136			226	136
" Total	Quebec	Galls. 15,934	13,675	Galls. 13,395	17,657	Galls. 29,329	31,332
	Nova Scotia	146,699	68,352			146,699	68,352
	New Brunswick	3,570	1,814			3,570	1,814
	P. E. Island	530	228			530	228
		166,733	84,069	13,395	17,657	180,128	101,726

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Continued.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the produce of Canada.		Goods, not the produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		Galls.	$	Galls.	$	Galls.	$
Fish Oil, Seal—							
Great Britain...	Quebec	488	300			488	300
	Nova Scotia	2,321	1,200			2,321	1,200
		2,809	1,500			2,809	1,500
United States...	Quebec	194	122			194	122
Total	Quebec	682	422			682	422
	Nova Scotia	2,321	1,200			2,321	1,200
		3,003	1,622			3,003	1,622
" Whale—							
Great Britain...	Ontario	1,800	723			1,800	723
" Other—							
Great Britain...	Quebec	175	670			175	670
	British Columbia	1,000	200			1,000	200
		1,175	870			1,175	870
" United States...	Ontario	512	200			512	200
	Quebec	60	20	1,197	1,196	1,257	1,216
	New Brunswick	8,714	3,617			8,714	3,617
	British Columbia	19,484	6,593			19,484	6,593
		28,770	10,430	1,197	1,196	29,967	11,626
" China	British Columbia	1,500	900			1,500	900
" Sandwich Isl'ds	British Columbia	1,000	600			1,000	600
Total	Ontario	512	200			512	200
	Quebec	235	690	1,197	1,196	1,432	1,186
	New Brunswick	8,714	3,617			8,714	3,617
	British Columbia	22,984	8,293			22,984	8,293
		32,445	12,800	1,197	1,196	33,642	13,996
Furs and Skins of Marine Animals—							
Great Britain...	Quebec		140				140
	Nova Scotia		3,307				3,307
	British Columbia		62,824				62,824
			66,271				66,271
" United States...	Nova Scotia		16,500				16,500
	British Columbia		42,393				42,393
			58,893				58,893

STATEMENT showing the Quantity and Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported, &c.—*Concluded.*

Articles and Countries to which Exported.	Provinces whence Exported.	Goods, the Produce of Canada.		Goods, not the Produce of Canada.		Total Exports, Produce and not Produce.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Furs and Skins of Marine Animals—			$		$		$
Total	Quebec		140				140
	Nova Scotia		19,807				19,807
	British Columbia		105,217				105,217
			125,164				125,164
Other Articles—							
Great Britain	Ontario		190				190
	Quebec		715				715
	New Brunswick		200				200
	British Columbia		143				143
			1,248				1,248
" United States	Ontario		1,814				1,814
	Quebec		131				131
	Nova Scotia		32,796				32,796
	New Brunswick		8,056				8,056
	British Columbia		10				10
	P. E. Island		8,345				8,345
			51,152				51,152
" Brit. W. Indies	Nova Scotia		55				55
" French W. Indies	Nova Scotia		537				537
" Total	Ontario		2,004				2,004
	Quebec		846				846
	Nova Scotia		33,388				33,388
	New Brunswick		8,256				8,256
	British Columbia		153				153
	P. E. Island		8,345				8,345
			52,992				52,992

RECAPITULATION.

Great Britain		1,995,325				1,995,325
United States		1,681,142		19,418		1,700,560
Other Countries		2,285,599		4,500		2,290,099
Grand Total		5,962,066		23,918		5,985,984

ABSTRACT showing the Value of Fish and Products of Fish Exported from the Dominion of Canada to each country, during the Six Months ending 31st December, 1882.

Countries.	Produce.	Not Produce.	Total.
	$	$	$
Great Britain	1,995,325		1,995,325
United States	1,681,142	19,418	1,700,560
Newfoundland	711		711
British West Indies	1,031,273	4,500	1,035,773
Spanish do	354,783		354,783
French do	182,620		182,620
Danish do	27,177		27,177
British Guiana	108,235		108,235
Hayti	6,217		6,217
St. Pierre	7,904		7,904
France	14,722		14,722
Portugal	62,591		62,591
Italy	210,023		210,023
Madeira	20,725		20,725
British Africa	1,000		1,000
Australia	22,844		22,844
China	900		900
Japan	500		500
Uruguay	500		500
Brazil	231,224		231,224
Sandwich Islands	1,650		1,650
Grand Total	5,962,066	23,918	5,985,984

Expenses and Receipts.

A sum of $92,700.71 was expended for the general service, and the cost of maintenance and running expenses of the armed steamer "La Canadienne," employed in protecting the Gulf fisheries, was $15,276.07, besides a further sum of $11,689.33 for raising her when wrecked, and for special repairs; total, $119,666.11. Part of this expenditure is sub-divided into provinces, as follows:—

Nova Scotia.		
Fishery Officers' salaries and disbursements	$16,479 41	
Fish-breeding	5,858 98	
		$22,338 39
New Brunswick.		
Fishery Officers' salaries and disbursements	$12,284 82	
Fish-breeding	3,567 28	
		15,852 10
Quebec.		
Fishery Officers' salaries and disbursements	$14,819 22	
Fish-breeding	9,148 68	
		23,967 90
Prince Edward Island.		
Fishery Officers' salaries and disbursements	$2,756 48	
Fish-breeding	760 32	
		3,516 80
British Columbia.		
Fishery Officers' salaries and disbursements		$1,599 08
Ontario.		
Fishery Officers' salaries and disbursements	$11,729 77	
Fish-breeding	11,888 67	
		23,618 44
Manitoba.		
Travelling expenses		809 55
Miscellaneous.		
Legal and incidental expenses	$809 89	
Advertising	169 20	
Stationery and printing	20 36	
		999 45
		$92,700 71

The expenses incurred for Fish Culture are also subdivided as follows among eleven fish hatcheries :

Ontario.		
Newcastle	$4,403 03	
Sandwich	4,252 79	
General disbursements, including salary and travelling expenses of S. Wilmot	3,232 85	
		$11,888 67
Quebec.		
Tadoussac	$1,494 42	
Gaspé Basin	1,793 94	
Magog	1,380 38	
Ristigouche, (*Quebec and New Brunswick*)	3,694 63	
General disbursements	785 31	
		9,148 68
Nova Scotia.		
Bedford Basin	$2,405 97	
Sydney	3,248 15	
Building Fishways	204 86	
		5,858 98
New Brunswick.		
Miramichi	$1,397 44	
St. John River	1,869 84	
Survey of Oyster Beds	300 00	
		3,567 28
Prince Edward Island.		
Dunk River	$625 32	
Survey of Oyster Beds	35 00	
		760 32
Total		$31,223 93

The collections made during the fiscal year are as follows :—

Nova Scotia.	
Fishery licenses, fines and forfeitures	$1,111 61
New Brunswick.	
Rents, taxes on nets, fines and forfeitures	4,848 84

Quebec.

Rents, license fees, fines and forfeitures	7,165 32

Prince Edward Island.

License fees	40 00

Ontario.

Rents, license fees, fines and confiscations	9,849 18

British Columbia.

License fees	672 50
	$23,687 45

LICENSES ISSUED.

The number of fishery licenses issued during the season of 1882 is as follows:—

Ontario.

Gill-net licenses	479	
Hoop-net do	61	
Pound-net do	53	
Seine do	183	
Angling permits	617	
Spearing licenses	199	
Dip-nets and night lines	92	
		1,684

Quebec.

Salmon-net fishing licenses	364	
Brush-weir do	83	
Eel-weir do	6	
Seine do	164	
Gill-net do	174	
Dip-net and night line licenses	31	
Pound-net licenses	1	
		823

New Brunswick.

Salmon-net fishing licenses	631	
Herring-weir do	206	
Bass do	224	
Smelt do	805	
Sturgeon do	47	
		1,913

Nova Scotia.

Salmon-net fishing licenses	38	
Trap-net licenses	43	
Weir do	7	
	——	88

Prince Edward Island.

Trap-net licenses	2
Total	4,510

FISHERIES STAFF.

The Outside Staff employed in the Fisheries Service, consists of the following Officers :—

ONTARIO—Fishery Overseers (*ex-officio* Magistrates) and Fishery Guardians	90
QUEBEC—Fishery Overseers (*ex-officio* Magistrates)and Fishery Guardians	98
NOVA SCOTIA—Inspector, Fishery Officers (*ex-officio* Magistrates) and Fishery Wardens	241
NEW BRUNSWICK—Inspector, Fishery Overseers (*ex-officio* Magistrates) and Fishery Wardens	109
PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—Fishery Overseers (*ex-officio* Magistrates) and Fishery Wardens	46
BRITISH COLUMBIA	2
GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE—Commander and crew of the Fisheries Protection Steamer *La Canadienne*	30
FISH HATCHERIES—Superintendent, Assistants, and others	25
Total	641

FISH-BREEDING.

Collections of Fish Eggs and Distribution of Young Fish.

The next following table shows the numbers and kinds of fish eggs laid down in the fish hatcheries during the fall season :—

Name of Hatchery.	Kinds of Fish Eggs.					
	Salmon.	Salmon Trout.	California Salmon.	Speckled Trout.	Pickerel.	Whitefish.
Newcastle	150,000	8,000,000		200,000		3,000,000
Sandwich						40,000,000
Magog		350,000				
Tadoussac	1,400,000					
Gaspé	617,000					
Restigouche	350,000					
Miramichi	1,000,000					
St. John River	75,000					
Bedford Basin	1,000,000					
Sydney, C.B.	620,000					
Dunk River	1,400,000					
Totals	6,612,000	8,350,000		200,000		43,000,000

Recapitulation.

Salmon Eggs	6,612,000
Salmon Trout Eggs	8,350,000
Speckled Trout Eggs	200,000
Whitefish Eggs	43,000,000
Total	58,162,000

This table gives the numbers and kinds of fish fry distributed from the same establishments during the spring season :—

Name of Hatchery.	Kinds of Fish.					
	Salmon.	Salmon Trout.	California Salmon.	Speckled Trout.	Pickerel.	Whitefish.
Ontario—						
Newcastle	100,000	1,760,000	171,000	40,000	1,500,000	1,270,000
Sandwich					25,000,000	19,000,000
Quebec—						
Magog		517,000				458,000
Tadoussac	600,000					
Gaspé	530,000					
New Brunswick						
Restigouche	1,400,000					
Miramichi	640,000					
St. John River	288,000		300,000			
Nova Scotia—						
Bedford Basin	850,000					
Sydney, C B	315,000					
Dunk River, P.E.I	1,006,000					
Totals	5,783,000	2,277,000	471,000	40,000	26,500,000	20,728,000

Recapitulation.

Salmon	5,783,000
Salmon Trout	2,277,000
California Salmon	471,000
Speckled Trout	40,000
Pickerel	26 500,000
Whitefish	20,728,000
Total	55,799,000

Note.—The above figures are taken from the returns of the Fishery Officers in charge of the several Hatcheries in the Dominion. No report of the current year's operations has been received from Mr. S. Wilmot.

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the Provinces of Ontario, Quebec, Nova Scotia, New Brunswick, Prince Edward Island and British Columbia, appointed under the Fisheries' Act (1868), with Districts, Post Office Addresses, Salaries, etc., etc., distinguishing those who, being Fishery Overseers, are instructed to act *ex-officio* as Magistrates, from those who act in the capacity of Fishery Wardens, and do not exercise magisterial powers.

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO.

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
T. McGarrity	Counties of Stormont and Glengarry	Cornwall	Overseer	50 00
William Pool	Prescott to Rockport	Grenadier Island	do	50 00
Henry Hunt	Larue's Island	Rockport	Warden	20 00
John Wallace	Lindoe Island	Lansdown	do	50 00
O. Miron	South Nation River, in the County of Prescott	Curran	Overseer	30 00
		Prescott	do	200 00
John Mooney	Brockville to Cornwall	Howe Island	do	50 00
John Cox	Howe Island			
Peter Kiel	Wolfe Island and the southern part of the County of Frontenac, comprising the Townships of Storrington, Pittsburgh and Kingston	Wolfe Island	do	200 00
Jos. Redmond	The County of Prince Edward	Picton	do	300 00
Charles Gilchrist	Rice Lake and part of Lake Ontario, fronting on the County of Northumberland	Port Hope	do	400 00
W. H. Johnston	Charleston Lake, Gananoque Lake and River	Farmersville	do	50 00
James Greer	Gananoque River	Warburton	do	40 00
Geo. B. McDermot	Lake Scugog, including Lindsay or Scugog River to its mouth	Port Perry	do	100 00
John A. Cameron	That part of the County of Frontenac, north of Loughboro' Lake	Westport	do	100 00
A. D. Sills	Lake shore and inland waters, County of Lennox and Addington, including Amherst Island	Napanee	do	150 00
Charles Wilkins	Waters of the Bay of Quinté fronting on County of Hastings, and from Carrying Place eastward to Mill Point, in the County of Prince Edward	Belleville	do	300 00
James G. Wilcox	River Credit, from mouth of river up to Norval	Port Credit	do	50 00
Andrew Hughson	River Credit, from Orangeville to Norval, together with the Townships of Mono, East Garafraxa, Albion, Amaranth Luther and Caledon to Church's Mills Cataract	Orangeville	do	50 00
John W. Kerr	Whitby Harbour to Moulton Bay	Hamilton	do	500 00
W. A. McCrae	Grand River from mouth of Caledonia and that part of Lake Erie extending from South Cayuga to Moulton Bay	Dunnville	do	100 00
David Sharp	That part of the Counties of Norfolk and Haldimand fronting on Lake Erie and extending from the division line between the Counties of Elgin and Norfolk to the division line between the Townships of Rainham and South Cayuga	Port Ryerse	do	200 00
Alex. McBride	That part of Lake Erie fronting on the County of Elgin	St. Thomas	do	50 00
	Carried forward			3,040 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	$ cts.
	Brought forward			3,040 00
John McMichael	Lake Erie frontage, County of Kent	Rond Eau	Overseer	50 00
James Cummins	Point Pelée Island	Kingsville	Warden	50 00
Wm. Prosser	Lake Erie, from mouth Detroit River to Point Pelée	Leamington	do	30 00
E. Boismier	Baptiste Creek, on Lake St. Clair, to mouth of Detroit River	Sandwich	Overseer	300 00
A. Quenneville	That part of Lake St. Clair extending from Stony Point to the division line between Dover East and West, including the mouth of River Thames	Stony Point	Warden	20 00
Timothy McQueen	Mouth of Thames River to Lewisville	Chatham	Overseer	50 00
Angus Brady	Thames River, from Lewisville to Cashmere	Bothwell	do	40 00
Peter McCann	Thames River, from Thamesville to London	London	do	200 00
P. McCarron	Sydenham River and tributaries	Wallaceburg	do	100 00
J. B. Moody	North Branch, Sydenham River, from its junction with the main river at Wallaceburg, to its source	Waubuno	do	50 00
Chas. W. Raymond	Lake St. Clair	Mitchell's Bay	do	50 00
David McMaster	Baby's Point, on River St. Clair, to Kettle Point, on Lake Huron	Sarnia	do	200 00
A. C. McKinnon	Kettle Point to Point Clarke, Lake Huron	Goderich	do	100 00
James Muir	Point Clarke to Cape Hurd, including adjacent islands	Port Elgin	do	100 00
Geo. S. Miller	Owen Sound to Cape Hood	Owen Sound	do	100 00
James Patton	Collingwood to Point Rich	Collingwood	do	225 00
Samuel Fraser	Point Cockburn to Moose Point	Midland	do	100 00
Donald A. Cameron	Lake Huron from the foot of Lake George to Little Current, including St Joseph, Cockburn, Manitoulin and adjacent islands	Sault Ste. Marie	do	200 00
Joseph Wilson	Thessalon River, Lake Huron, to Slate Island, Lake Superior	do	do	100 00
James Dickson	Slate Island to Pigeon River, Lake Superior	Prince Arthur's Land'g	do	100 00
L. S. Saunders	Lake Simcoe and tributaries	Barrie	do	150 00
Wm. Hastings	Lake Simcoe, from Cook's Bay to Beaverton	Roach's Point	do	50 00
Wm. McDermott	County Simcoe, South Riding	Beeton	do	50 00
George Cochrane	Inland waters, Co. Peterborough, including Pigeon, Deer, Salmon-Trout, Stony, Sturgeon and Chemong Lakes	Lakefield	do	250 00
John Dauncey	Upper Division or East Riding, Co. Peterborough, comprising waters of Gull and Burnt Rivers and tributaries, together with Drag, Eagle, Moose, Redstone, Crooked and other lakes within such limits	Mindon	do	100 00
J. R. Graham	Inland waters, N.R., County Victoria, north of Sturgeon Lake, and above Fenelon Falls	Victoria Road	do	100 00
James McFadden	Mississippi River and Lake	Carleton Place	do	30 00
	Carried forward			5,960 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF ONTARIO—*Concluded.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			5,960 00
Andrew Telfer	Bonnechère River and Lakes, County Renfrew	Bristol Corner, P.Q.	Overseer.	50 00
W. P. Croome	Grand River and its tributaries from Brantford upwards	Brantford	do	100 00
Wm. E. Foot	Lakes Muskoka, Rosseau, Joseph, Lake of Bays and the Magan[illegible]tawan River.	Bracebridge	do	125 00
Wellington Hull	The Rivers Credit and Speed, with their tributaries, in the Townships of Eramosa, Erin, Carleton and Esquessing	Erin	do	50 00
W. D. Pollock	Twelve and Sixteen Mile Creeks, in the County of Halton	Bronte	Warden	30 00
Hugh McFayden	Head waters of Saugeen River, and tributaries	Durham	Overseer	40 00
Geo. Jeacle	Rideau Lakes	Westport	do	75 00
A. E. Mills	Rideau River and Canal	Smith's Falls	do	50 00
John Murphy	Co Lanark, Rideau Canal and Lakes.	Burgess, Perth P.O.	do	50 00
Wm. Hicks	Upper and Lower Beverley Lakes	Farmersville	do	40 00
Jno. R. McDonald	Madawaska River	Clontarf	do	50 00
M. L. Russell	Bonnechère River	Renfrew	do	25 00
Thos. McKibbon	Mink and Doré Lakes, Renfrew	Eganville	do	25 00
Geo. Douglas	Muskrat Lake and Snake River, Renfrew	Stafford	do	25 00
Arch. Acheson	Lower Allumette and Coulonge Lakes.	Westmeath	do	25 00
John Grant	Upper Allumette to Des Joachims, including Petawawa River	Forester's Falls	do	75 00
Ephraim Deacon	River Tay, Co. Lanark	Bolingbroke	do	50 00
Wm. Boucher	Waters of Co. Carleton	South March	do	100 00
W. B. Jelley	Co. Wellington	Bowling Green	do	40 00
Alfred March	Long Point	Long Point	do	50 00
W. Helliwell	Co. York	Highland Creek	do	100 00
	Total			7,135 00

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC.

Wm. Wakeham	Lower St. Lawrence River and Gulf	Gaspé Basin	Officer in charge of Fisheries Protection Service in Gulf and Lower St. Lawrence.	1,200 00
C. F. Caron	Point Lévis to River Ouelle	L'Islet	Overseer	200 00
Jules Gauvreau	River Ouelle to Point à la Loupe, Green Island	Isle Verte	do	100 00
H. Martin	Point à la Loupe, Green Island, to Rimouski River (same included)	Rimouski	do	100 00
L. E. Grondin	Rimouski to River Blanche	do	do	100 00
Vital Charest	River Blanche to Cape Chatte	Matane	do	100 00
George Gagnon	Inland waters, County Témiscouata	St. Epiphane	Warden	30 00
	Carried forward			1,830 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			1,830 00
Phileas Dubé	Lake Témiscouata and neighbouring waters, County Témiscouata	Notre Dame du Lac-	Warden	30 00
Alfred Blais	Lake Matapedia and River Matapedia to Causapscal	Causapscal	Overseer	100 00
J. J. Letourneau	Cape Chatte to River Ste Anne des Monts	Ste. Anne des Monts	do	100 00
P. Vibert, jun	York, Dartmouth and St. John Rivers, Gaspé Basin, to Point Maquereau	Gaspé Basin	do	200 00
John Phelan	Point Maquereau to Paspebiac Point	Port Daniel	do	50 00
John Cullen	Paspebiac Point to Maguasha Point	Carleton	do	200 00
J. A. Verge	The Ristigouche Rivers, in the Counties of Rimouski and Bonaventure, including also the waters of Bay des Chaleurs	Cross Point	do	500 00
L. P. Huot	Lakes Philippe, Gagné and adjacent Lakes, and the Island of Orleans	St. Roch, Quebec	do	100 00
U. Bhéreur	River du Gouffre to Canard River, including inland lakes adjacent to Murray Bay and St. Paul's Bay	Murray Bay	do	50 00
Henri Côté	Lakes in rear of Murray Bay and Bay St. Paul	Bay St. Paul	Warden	30 00
Edouard Martin		do	do	30 00
Jos. Simard		St, Agnes	do	40 00
Antoine Filion		Bay St. Paul	do	30 00
Jos. Radford	Counties of Chicoutimi and Saguenay	Tadoussac	Overseer	200 00
Jacques Girard	Grand Bay	Grand Bay	do	100 00
Romuald Maltais	Lake St. John	Alma	do	50 00
Chas Potvin	do	Roberval	do	50 00
Job. Bilodeau	Lake St. John and tributaries, Upper Saguenay	Metabechouan	do	50 00
Joseph Boily	Escoumains to Bersimis	Mille Vaches	do	50 00
F. Duchesne	North Shore, from Manicouagan to Point des Monts, including Becscie, Mistassini and Godbout Rivers	Chicoutimi	do	150 00
J. O. Belanger	North Shore, River St. Lawrence, from Point des Monts to Baie des Rochers, including Trinity and Pentecost Rivers	Montmagny	do	150 00
G. Mathurin	Moisie District, from Point Jambon to Point St. Charles, including Moisie River	do	Overseer	150 00
G. L. Duguay	Esquimaux Point to Sheldrake River.	Murray Bay	do	100 00
W. McLeod	Washeecootai Division, comprising the Rivers Kegascha, Musquarro, Washeecootai and Olomanosheeboo.	L'Islet	do	100 00
P. C. Gobeil	Watsheehoo District, from Ateepetal Bay West to Little Watsheehoo River East	St. Pamphile	Warden	150 00
T. Mignault	Western Division Natashquan, including River Agwanus, Nabissippi and Natashquan	Montmagny	Overseer	150 00
J. Legouvé	St. Augustine Division, from Cape Whittle to Checatica	Gaspé Basin	Warden	100 00
W. H. Whitely	Bonne Espérance Division, from Checatica to Blanc Sablon	Bonne Espérance	do	100 00
Ant. Chevrier	Magdalen Islands	Amherst	Overseer	100 00
John Morris	River St. Lawrence around Island of Montreal	St. Lambert	do	200 00
	Carried forward			5,240 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF QUEBEC—*Continued*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			5,240 00
R. W. Jones	Ottawa River from Oka to Carillon, North side	St. Andrews	Overseer.	40 00
Jos. I. Lamoureux.	Ottawa River, from Oka to Carillon, South side	Rigaud	do	40 00
Jos Lauzon	River Jesus and Des Prairies	Terrebonne	do	100 00
W. C. Willis	Waters in Districts of St. Francis	Sherbrooke	do	150 00
H. W. Austin	Richelieu River and tributaries from Sorel to St. John	Berthier (*en haut*)	do	400 00
N. A. Beach	Lake Memphremagog, in the Counties of Stanstead and Brome	Georgeville	do	100 00
J. B. Chevalier	Richelieu River, from St. John to Lake Champlain	Iberville	do	150 00
Pierre Latraverse	That part of the River St. Lawrence bordering on the Counties of Richelieu, Yamaska and Berthier, in the Province of Quebec, incuding Sorel and adjoining Islands	Sorel	Warden	100 00
Olivier Laflèche	That part of the River St. Lawrence fronting Counties of Berthier and Maskinongé	Louisville	do	40 00
M. Hurteau.	Verchères and L'Assomption Counties	Contrecœur	Overseer.	25 00
Jos. Desaulniers	Inland waters, Counties St. Maurice and Maskinongé	Shawenegan	do	75 00
Thos. Décoteau	St. Lawrence River fronting County St. Maurice	Three Rivers	do	75 00
John Kelly	That part of River St. Lawrence and Lake St. Francis fronting Counties Beauharnois and Huntingdon	Beauharnois	do	25 00
P. E. Luke	Missisquoi Bay in Lake Champlain and Pike River	Phillipsburg	do	50 00
J. B. McDonald	Lake Megantic	Echo Vale	do	100 00
J. F. Picotin	St. Francis River	Drummondville	Warden	25 00
Wm. Clyde	Chateauguay River and tributaries	Huntingdon	Overseer.	50 00
J. Laberge	River Chateauguay, from mouth to village	Chateauguay Basin	do	50 00
Alexander Beaton.	The inland waters in rear of the County of Argenteuil	Lost River, P.O., Harrington	do	30 00
Thomas Evans	Inland waters of the Townships of Gore, Wentworth and Howard, in the County of Argenteuil, and those of the Seigniory of Mille Isle and Township of Morin, in the County of Terrebonne	Lakefield	do	30 00
Jos. Marion	County of Ottawa	Hull	do	200 00
Louis Lachapelle	St. Mary's Lake, County of Ottawa	St. Mary's Lake	Warden	30 00
V. Veilleux	Inland waters of the County of Beauce	St. Ephrim de Tring	do	40 00
James Mohr.	The waters of the County of Pontiac, from Ottawa County line, west to River Coulonge	Onslow	Overseer.	40 00
J. T. Coghlan	The waters of the County of Pontiac, from River Coulonge, west to Des Joachims	Waltham	do	40 00
D. D. Foster	Brome Lake	Knowlton	Warden	25 00
C. Barbeau	Ottawa River	Ottawa	Overseer.	200 00
A. Campbell	Lochaber Bay	Lochaber Bay	do	100 00
Robt. Joynt	Lake Bernard	Joynt P.O.	Guardian	25 00
	Total			5,795 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA.

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
W. H. Rogers	Nova Scotia	Amherst	Inspector of Fisheries	1,400 00
	Annapolis County.			
W. T. Carty	Annapolis County	Annapolis	Overseer	120 00
A. F. Morton	Annapolis River	Wilmot	Warden	25 00
Geo Vroom	Bear River (South side)	Bear River	do	25 00
Wm. Croscup	Bear River (North side)	do	do	25 00
W. A. Rice	Annapolis River	Bridgetown	do	25 00
W. M. Bailey	Lovett's Brook	Round Hill	do	25 00
M. Riordan	Annapolis and Langille Rivers	Annapolis	do	25 00
T. R. Isley	From Lawrence to County line	Williamstown	do	25 00
Albert Barteaux	Nictaux River	Nictaux Falls	do	25 00
	Antigonish County.			
John McDonald	Antigonish County	Doctor's Brook	Overseer	125 00
Angus McDonald	From mouth of Harbour to foot of Marsh, thence up Tracadie stream to lake, from Marsh up to Monastery Brook, including French Settlement Brook and Tarbitts	Tracadie	Warden	25 00
R. J. Aymer	From mouth of Harbour to Forks, from thence on the Pomquet River to V. Chisholm's Mills, and from Forks on the Black River to Falls	Pomquet Forks, Antigonish	do	25 00
Albert Randall	From shore to lake	Bayfield, W. O.	do	15 00
Colin Chisholm	From Antigonish Harbour to McWilliam's or St. Andrew's Bridge	Lower South River, Antigonish	do	25 00
Lochlin Cameron	From McWilliam's Bridge to Fraser's Bridge, including Big Brook	Upper South River, Antigonish	do	30 00
John Cumming	From Fraser's Bridge to County line at head of lake	Upper South River, Antigonish	do	20 00
John Dexter	From Antigonish Harbour (foot of Marsh) to Trotter's Mill Brook, thence up said Brook to Trotter's Mill, including both branches of West River and Bailey's Brook	Antigonish	do	30 00
Donald Chisholm	From Trotter's Mill Brook to W. Thompson's Dam	Salt Springs, Antigonish	do	25 00
Alex. Macadam	From Thompson's Dam to Addington Forks Bridge	West River, Addington Forks, Antigonish	do	25 00
Duncan Fraser	From Pinkeytown Bridge to Stewart's Mill	Ohio	do	20 00
James Chisholm	From Campbell's Rock, on Pomquet River, to V. Chisholm's Mill on the Eastern Branch and to Alexander McDonald's Mill on the Western Branch	St. Andrews	do	25 00
	Carried forward			2,110 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward.....	.....	.....	2,110 00
	Antigonish County—Concluded.			
Arch. McDougall..	From John McDonald's (Bun's) Cove, north side of Cape George, to Crobbing Head, St. George's Bay.....	McNair's Cove, Cape George.....	Warden....	25 00
Donald McDonald..	West River, from Forks Bridge to Pinkeytown Bridge, including Jones River and Beaver River.....	Addington Forks.....	do	25 00
	Cape Breton County.			
Francis Quinan.....	From Low Point to South Head of Cow Bay, and north side of Mira Bay, including Salmon River and Sydney River.....	Sydney.....	Overseer..	120 00
Wm. Burke.....	Mira Bridge and Trout Brook.....	Burke's Bridge, Mira River..	Warden....	25 00
John McEachen ...	Salmon River.....	Grand Mira, Arichat....	do	25 00
Donald McDonald.	Sydney River and Forks.....	Lingan.....	do	45 00
Alex. McLean.....	Mill Brook.....	Mill Brook.....	do	20 00
York Barrington...	North of East Bay to Head of Sydney River, including part of Boularderie Island.....	Sydney Mines.....	Overseer..	120 00
Alex. McDonald....	South of East Bay to Salmon River....	East Bay.....	do ...	120 00
Allan McAdam.....	Eskasoni.....	Eskasoni.....	Warden....	25 00
Angus Morrison....	Marrion Bridge, Mira.....	Marrion Bridge, Mira...	do	25 00
Dennis Murphy.....	Ponds, Sydney Mines.....	Ponds, Sydney Mines...	do	25 00
H. McLellan	Rory Brack's Brook.....	Rory Brack's Brook	do	25 00
P. Keefe.....	North-West Brook Grand Lake and tributaries.....	Lingan.....	do	25 00
Donald M'Cormack	Leitche's Creek and George's River...	Leitche's Creek, W.O..	do	25 00
D. McNeil...	Benacadie River, emptying into Bras d'Or.....	Benacadie River.....	do	25 00
Arch. McDonald...	Ball's Creek.....	Ball's Creek.....	do	20 00
	Colchester County.			
R. J. Pollock.....	Stewiacke River (lower portion).	Lower Stewiacke.	Overseer..	75 00
T. Johnson.	Salmon River.....	Salmon River, Truro...	Warden....	25 00
George Fulton.....	Stewiacke River (upper portion)..	Stewiacke River, Brookfield.....	do	25 00
H. Gass	Northern Division, Co. Colchester, comprising Tatamagouche Bay, French and Waugh's River.....	Tatamagouche.....	Overseer..	50 00
J. W. Davison.....	Colchester County, West Division.....	Upper Economy.....	do ...	100 00
Daniel McKay... ...	Waugh's Rivers.....	Tatamagouche River...	Warden ...	50 00
Robt. R. Fulton....	De Bert River.....	Folly Village.....	do ...	25 00
H. M. Fulton	Portaupique.....	Portaupique, W.O.....	do ...	30 00
George Moore.....	Economy River.....	Economy.....	do ...	25 00
Mat. G. Murray....	Salmon River.....	Truro	do ...	25 00
William Winton....	Lower Stewiacke River.....	Lower Stewiacke.....	do ...	25 00
Alfred Wright.....	do do	do	do ...	25 00
Henry Blair.....	Eastern Division, Co. Colchester	North River.....	Overseer..	100 00
	Carried forward.....	.....	.....	3,410 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			3,410 00
	Colchester County—Concluded.			
Henry Urquhart	Folly River	Folly Village	Warden	25 00
Samuel Frame	Shubenacadie River and Gay's River.	Shubenacadie River	do	25 00
	Cumberland County.			
G. W. Gilroy	Cumberland County, Eastern Division, embracing all streams emptying into the straits of Northumberland	Oxford	Overseer	100 00
Oliver Fillmore	River Philip, Hanam's Falls, upwards	River Philip	Warden	25 00
John W. Moore	do do downwards	do	do	25 00
Thos. R. Smith	Shinimicas River	Shinimicas River	do	25 00
James King	Cumberland County, Western Division, including all streams flowing into the Bay of Fundy	Amherst	Overseer	100 00
David Corbett	Laplanche and Nappan Rivers	do	Warden	25 00
Moses Harrison	Maccan River	Maccan, W.O	do	25 00
Jos. Porter	River Hebert	River Hebert	do	25 00
Francis L. Jenks	Parrsboro' Head	Parrsboro'	do	25 00
Wm. Murphy	Wallace River	Wallace	do	30 00
Elijah Fowler	Diligent, Ramshead and Fox Rivers, including fisheries from Partridge Island to Spencer Island	Diligent River, Parrsboro'	do	30 00
Samuel McPherson	Pugwash River	Pugwash River	do	25 00
Sydney Smith	Apple River	Advocate Harbour	do	25 00
	Digby County.			
Wm. Hanley	Digby County	Digby	Overseer	120 00
Abraham L. Gavil	Joggins River	do	Warden	25 00
Lochlin McKay	St. Mary's Bay	St. Mary's Bay, W.O	do	25 00
Robert Journey	Sissaboo River	Weymouth	do	25 00
	Guysborough County.			
James A. Tory	Guysborough County	Guysborough	Overseer	150 00
James Cook	Salmon River, from mouth to Graham's West Line	Salmon River, W.O	Warden	25 00
James McEllum	From Graham's West Line to foot of Neil's Lake, including North Branch and Lake	do	do	20 00
Charles Kenny	From foot of Neil's Lake to Beaver Dam Lake, inclusive, and all the lakes through which it passes	Salmon River, West Branch, Guysboro'	do	15 00
Donald Gunn	From mouth of Scott's Place to Country Harbour Lake, including Gunn's Brook, from Main River to Hurley's Lake	Cross Roads	do	30 00
William Pride	From mouth of St. Mary's River to Sinclair Point, including stream from Wine Harbour to Lake	Sherbrooke, St. Mary's	do	30 00
	Carried forward			4,410 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			4,410 00
	Guysborough County—Concluded.			
Thomas McKeen	From Forks to County Line, including McQueen's Mill and Brook, to Lake	Melrose	Warden	30 00
J. L. Smyth	From Forks to Indian Man's Brook	West River	do	25 00
Robert McKay	From head of tide to head of Intervale, on the North Branch, and to Cameron's Mill, on the Valley Branch	Guysborough, Intervale, W.O	do	15 00
James R. Bruce	From mouth of Clam Harbour River to Upper Falls	Guysborough	do	10 00
James Nickerson	From Beach to Falls, including North West Brook	New Harbour, W.O	do	15 00
D. A. McDonald	St. Mary's River	St. Mary's River, Sherbrooke	do	40 00
Allan McQuarrie	District of St. Mary's	Sherbrooke	Overseer	100 00
Adam Kirk	St. Mary's River, extending from Alex. Ross' (above still waters) to Hugh Halters', on the West River	Glenelg	Warden	30 00
Wm. McDonald	St. Mary's River	Stillwater	do	25 00
D. McC. Sinclair	From Sinclair to Headwater	Goshen	do	20 00
Luke Harpell	From mouth to head of Indian River	Indian River, St. Mary's District	do	15 00
D Cameron, sen	West River, St. Mary's, from Wallace Bridge to head of River	Upper Caledonia	do	20 00
Frederick Mattie	Tracadie River, in Counties of Guysborough and Antigonish	Tracadie, County of Antigonish	do	15 00
Angus Cameron	East River, St. Mary's	East River	do	25 00
John Jones	Mouth of Salmon River	Mouth of Salmon River	do	25 00
James Henderson	Isaac Harbour and River	Isaac Harbour	do	25 00
Samuel Hudson (Lewis' son)	Country Harbour River, from Bridge at Narrows to month	Country Harbour	do	25 00
John J. Sangster	From New Harbour to Isaac Harbour, including harbours, rivers and lakes between these places	Coddel's Harbour	do	25 00
Jas. Harrigan, junr.	Cole Harbour River	Cole Harbour	do	25 00
	Halifax County.			
William Anderson	Halifax County, East Division, Dartmouth to Ecum Secum	Musquodoboit Harbour	Overseer	150 00
James Blakely	From Ship Harbour to Chezzetcook, inclusive	Ship Harbour	Warden	30 00
William Hall	Sheet Harbour	Sheet Harbour	do	40 00
John Fitzgerald	Halifax Harbour to Margaret Bay, Portuguese Cove	Portuguese Cove	Overseer	150 00
Archibald Kidston	From Peggy's Cove to Terrance Bay, Nine Mile and Prospect Rivers	Spryfield	Warden	40 00
Nathaniel Mason	From Hubert's to Peggy's Cove, Margaret Bay, Ingraham and Indian Rivers	Margaret Bay, Peggy's Cove, W. O	do	75 00
	Carried forward			5,405 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PRONINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			5,405 00
	Halifax County—Concluded.			
Daniel Mosher	Cow Bay Run	Cow Bay, Dartmouth	Warden	20 00
Donald McCleam	Chezzetcook River	Chezzetcook River	do	30 00
Jas. E. Whitman	Salmon River	Salmon River	do	30 00
Geo. McLeod	Middle Musquodoboit	Middle Musquodoboit	do	30 00
P. Hughes	Tangier River	Tangier River	do	25 00
Hy. A Shatford	Pennant River	Hubbard's Cove	do	40 00
Jas. Gardner	Musquodoboit Harbour	Musquodoboit Harbour	do	30 00
Wm. Burris	Little Musquodoboit River	Little Musquodoboit River	do	30 00
Geo. Parker	Upper Musquodoboit	Upper Musquodoboit River	do	30 00
John Frazer	Moser's River and Ecum Secum and Smith's Brook	Moser's River	do	30 00
Geo. Keizer	Lake Porter and streams	Lake Porter	do	30 00
Wm. Geo. Walker	Little Salmon River	Little Salmon River, Preston Road	do	20 00
James Crook	Big Salmon River or Lawrencetown River	Lawrencetown	do	25 00
F. G. Tolson	Sackville River	Sackville River	do	40 00
	Hants County.			
P. S. Burnham	Hants County, Western Division, from Western County Line to Walton	Windsor	Overseer	100 00
John B. Colter	Shubenacadie River	Milford	do	30 00
James Mosher	Rivers Meander and Hebert, from mouth to source	Brooklyn	Warden	30 00
T. B. O'Brien	East Division, from Walton to Colchester Line	Maitland	Overseer	100 00
Joseph Mosher	Kennetcook River, from mouth to head of tide	Newport	Warden	50 00
Joseph M. O'Brien	Walton and Kennetcook Rivers	Maitland	do	30 00
	Inverness County.			
Jas. Coady	Inverness County, East Division	S.W. Margaree	Overseer	100 00
David Ross	do do	N.E. Margaree	do	100 00
Miles McDaniel	From mouth of Margaree River to South-west Chapel	Forks, Margaree, W.O.	do	25 00
Neil McKay	Upper waters and tributaries, Margaree River	S.W. Margaree River	Warden	25 00
D. F. McLean	Inverness County, Western Division	Port Hastings	Overseer	100 00
Peter Benvie	Mabou River	Mabou, Brook Village	Warden	25 00
M. B McDonald	River Dennis	River Dennis, W.O.	do	25 00
Donald McDonald	River Inhabitants	River Inhabitants, W.O.	do	25 00
John McLean	Big River	Strathborn	do	25 00
Hugh Cameron	do	S. W. Mabou	do	25 00
Moses Murphy	Ainslie Lake	N. E. Margaree	do	25 00
John McKenzie	Crow Is Bridge to head of River	Big Intervale, Margaree, W.O.	do	25 00
Daniel McDermid	From his own residence to Big Intervale	N. E. Margaree	do	25 00
	Carried forward			6,705 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			6,705 00
	Inverness County—Concluded.			
Mark Crowdis	From Bridge to Forks, North-east Margaree River	Big Intervale	Warden	25 00
Angus McKinnon	do do do	Judique	do	25 00
William Hart, jun	From Crowdis Bridge to Warden McDermid's residence	N. W. Margaree	do	25 00
Allan McLellan (John's Son)	Whycocomagh Bay	River Dennis	do	25 00
Malcolm McKay	Trout River	Lake Ainslie	do	20 00
Angus McFarlane (Angus' Son)	Upper South-west Margaree Rivers	Upper S. W. Margaree River	do	25 00
John P. McFarlane	Margaree Harbour	Margaree	do	25 00
Stephen Graham	Long Point and Judique Rivers		do	25 00
	King's County.			
John E. Starr	King's County	Port William	Overseer	250 00
W. McIntyre	Annapolis River	Aylesford	Warden	50 00
R. F. Reid	King's County	Wolfville	Overseer	125 00
C. E. Bishop	Gaspereaux River	Horton	Warden	30 00
Jos. Angus	do	do	do	30 00
	Lunenburg County.			
Geo. Redden	Lunenburg County, East Division, Middle, Gold, Martin's and Mushamush Rivers	Chester	Overseer	100 00
Ed. Hayes	Eastern River	do	Warden	25 00
Isaiah Besancon	Middle River	do Basin	do	25 00
David Demon	Lower Gold River	Lower Gold River	do	25 00
John Hutt	Middle Gold River	Beach Hill, Chester	do	25 00
Edward Boylan	Gold River, Upper	New Ross	do	25 00
Jas. Langille	Martin's River	Chester	do	25 00
Hy. S. Jost	Lunenburg County, West Division	Lunenburg	Overseer	100 00
Chas. Pernette	From mouth of Lahave River to Wilkie's Cove	do	Warden	25 00
C. E. Goddard	Wilkie's Cove to Henry Koch's	Bridgewater	Overseer	50 00
Jas. Mossman	From Henry Koch's to Knock's	Lunenburg	Warden	25 00
B. Rothenhiser	Knock's to source of Lahave River	Bridgewater	do	25 00
John Andrews	Mushamush River	Mahone Bay	do	25 00
Geo. A. Nesbitt	Petite River, mouth to Wallace Brook	Petite River	do	25 00
Eli Hebb	Petite River, from Wallace Brook to source	Hebb's Cross, West		
		Conquerall	do	25 00
William Croft	East Gold River, from Bongard's Point to Gold River Branch, thence to Clark's Clinton's and Henry's Lakes	Chester Basin	do	25 00
J. H. Keddy	Larder's River	New Ross	do	25 00
	Carried forward			7,985 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward.....	.....	.....	7,985 00
	Pictou County.			
Duncan G. McDonald.....	Pictou County, East Division, including Sutherland's French and Barney's Rivers, Bailey's Brook and Shore Fishery, from Pictou Harbour eastward to County Line	Lismore	Overseer..	170 00
William Turner	Barney's River.....	Barney's River, W.O...	Warden ...	25 00
Donald McDonald.	Sutherland's River.....	New Glasgow	do ...	25 00
Geo. Foote	French River	French River	do ...	25 00
Donald McLean....	Bailey's Brook.....	Bailey's Brook, W.O....	do ...	30 00
Robert Sutherland.	Pictou County, West Division, including Middle, East, West, Cariboo, Toney and John Rivers	River John	Overseer..	140 00
Wm. McDonald	French River	French River	Warden ...	25 00
Peter Campbell.....	East River.....	New Glasgow	do ...	25 00
Alex. Douglas.....	Middle River	Middle River	do ...	25 00
Thos. Cameron	West River	do	do ...	25 00
John McKay.....	River John	River John	do ...	25 00
Geo. McKenzie.....	Cariboo River	Cariboo River	do ...	25 00
D. A. Murray.....	Barney's River, from McDonald's Bridge to Head.....	Avondale	do ...	25 00
Samuel Frazer.....	Grant's Factory to East Branch Lake.	Bridgeville	do ...	25 00
Donald Frazer.....	Fork and West Branch Lake	Hopewell	do ...	25 00
Wm. McKenzie.....	East River of St. Mary's and Garden Lake	Garden of Eden	do ...	20 00
Thomas Fraser.....	East River, from Tide Head to Grant's Factory	Island Hopewell	do ...	25 00
Allan Cameron	East Branch Barney's River, from Sutherland's Marshy Hope to Barney's River	Barney's River.....	do ...	25 00
A. C. Pritchard	Central Pictou County, including Middle, East and West Rivers.....	New Glasgow	Overseer..	150 00
	Queen's County.			
T. N. Sellon.....	Queen's County.....	Liverpool	Overseer..	225 00
Theodosius Ford...	Milton Bridge up to Port Liverpool River	Milton	Warden ...	60 00
Henry Hooker	Puddingpan Island to Toby's Island, up Port Medway River to Dog Cove	Port Medway	do ...	70 00
John Fitzgerald....	From Steam Mills to Salter's Falls on Port Medway River	Mill Village	Overseer..	70 00
Barnabas Miles.....	Salter's Falls to Pawn Hook, on Port Medway River	Greenfield, W.O	Warden ...	30 00
	Richmond County.			
Duncan Cameron..	Eastern Division, from River Bourgeois to East Boundary of County, including said river.....	St. Peters.....	Overseer..	125 00
John Murchison. ..	Grand River.....	Grand River, W.O.....	Warden ...	30 00
Francis Marmeau...	Western Division, from River Bourgeois to West Boundary of County.	Arichat.....	Overseer..	125 00
	Carried forward	....	.....	9,580 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			9,580 00
	Richmond County—Concluded.			
P. W. Grouchy.	Decousse River	Arichat	Warden	30 00
John Proctor, sen.	Inhabitants River	Port Hawkesbury.	do	20 00
Abraham Sampson	Petit Degrat Inlet	Pitit Degrat	do	30 00
Justinian Sampson	L'Ardoise	L'Ardoise	do	30 00
Charles Grant	River Inhabitants	River Inhabitants.	do	20 00
Allan McRae	West Bay, Black River	West Bay	do	30 00
Farquhar McPherson	River Moulin	River Moulin, Grandigue Ferry, W.O.	do	30 00
Patrick Kyte	River Tier	River Tier, St. Peters.	do	25 00
Felix Gerroir.	Grand Ruisseau	Grand Ruisseau Arichat	do	25 00
William Kehoe	False Bay and Breen's Brook	River Bourgeois, W.O.	do	25 00
	Shelburne County.			
Wm. John McGill.	Shelburne County	Shelburne	Overseer	125 00
M. Greenwood	Round Bay River and Indian Brook	Clyde River, W.O.	Warden	20 00
Timothy Archer	Birchtown River	Birchtown	do	30 00
Geo. Ryer	Roseway River	Shelburne	do	50 00
C. A. Holden.	Jordan River	do	do	50 00
Henry Ackerman	Green Harbour	Ragged Island, Locke's Island, W.O.	do	20 00
P. Crowell	Barrington River	Barrington	do	20 00
F. G. Nichol	Clyde River	Clyde River	do	20 00
	Victoria County.			
J. W. Burke	Victoria County, North Division, from Smoky Head to Bay St. Lawrence	Ingonish	Overseer	120 00
Donald McRae, jun	do South Division	Baddeck	do	120 00
John McLellan	Middle River	Middle River, W.O., Baddeck	Warden	25 00
Jno. McRae(Rory's Son)	Middle River, Upper Settlement	McLeod, W.O	do	25 00
Donald McQuarrie.	do	Baddeck	do	25 00
Donald McMillan	Baddeck River	do	do	25 00
Donald McAuley	do	do	do	25 00
	North River	North River, W.O.	do	25 00
Donald McRae	Baddeck River and tributaries	Baddeck	do	25 00
Frs. McGregor	Entrance of Baddeck River	Hunter's Mountain, W.O	do	25 00
Angus McDonald	Washabuck River	Washabuck River.	do	30 00
Kenneth McRae	Indian Brook	Middle River	do	30 00
Roderick Beaton	Hume's River	McNaughton's, W.O.	do	30 00
William Foyle	Peter's Brook	Baddeck River	do	30 00
John McCharles	Upper Settlement	Middle River	do	30 00
Donald Bochaman.	Barachois River	Barachois River	do	30 00
Malcolm McIver	Indian Brook	Indian Brook	do	30 00
Joseph Quinn	North River	North River	do	30 00
Geo. Burton	Salmon River, Bay St. Lawrence	Bay St. Lawrence, W.O	do	30 00
Jos. Hellen	Cape North	Cape North	do	30 00
John McDonald	Middle River, Upper Settlement	Baddeck	do	25 00
	Carried forward			10,945 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NOVA SCOTIA—*Concluded.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			10,945 00
	Yarmouth County.			
Enos Gardner	Yarmouth County	Tusket	Overseer	150 00
J. A. Hatfield	From Raynard's Falls to Lower Narrows, Tusket River	do	Warden	50 00
William Kavanagh	Gurrill's Bridge to Coldstream	do	do	25 00
Eustace Nickerson	Salmon River	Yarmouth	do	25 00
Edward Perry	Little River	do	do	25 00
Jerome Doucet	Tusket River	Tusket	do	30 00
Vital Moise	Tusket Forks	Tusket Forks	do	25 00
Joseph M. White	Eel Lake	Eel Lake	do	25 00
Wm. Thurston, sen	Chegoggin River	Chegoggin River	do	25 00
J. I. Brand	Pubnico and Argyle	West Pubnico	do	25 00
	Total			11,350 00

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.

W. H. Venning	New Brunswick	St. John, N.B.	Inspector of Fisher's	1,400 00
C. R. Venning		do	Clerk	400 00
	Albert County.			
Winthrop Akerly	County of Albert	Harvey	Overseer	100 00
Wallace Taylor	Petitcodiac River	Coverdale	Warden	40 00
C. McLatchey	Mouth of Petitcodiac River and Dorchester Bay	Hillsboro'	do	40 00
Jacob Beck	Pollet River	Elgin	do	30 00
J. E. Kinne	Germantown Lake and Shepody River	Hopewell Corner	do	40 00
Bartlet Oliver	Rocher Bay	Waterside	do	40 00
	Carleton County.			
W. B. Mills	Miramichi River (S.W.) from Head Waters to Forks	Foreston	Overseer	150 00
Geo. R. Burt	St. John River and tributaries, from Long's Creek to Tobique River	Upper Woodstock	do	100 00
J. W. Scott	St. John River, from Eel River to Woodstock	Canterbury	Warden	30 00
	Charlotte County.			
B. L. Cunningham	Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy	Chamcook, W.O	Overseer	70 00
James Brown	Campo Bello and West Isles, with coasts and streams in Charlotte Co.	Campo Bello	do	100 00
Frank Todd	St. Croix River and tributaries	St. Stephen	do	120 00
W. B. McLaughlin	Grand Manan Island and spawning grounds	Grand Manan	do	240 00
Samuel Dick	St. George to Beaver Harbour	La Tête, W.O.	Warden	30 00
	Carried forward			2,930 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			2,930 00
	Charlotte County—Concluded.			
Robert Dixon	Seeley's Cove to Lepreaux	Lepreaux	Warden	30 00
Leonard Best	East District, from La Tête to Lepreaux	Beaver Harbour, W.O.	Overseer	100 00
J. M. Lord	Deer Island	Deer Island	do	70 00
Andrew Gilmour	Northern Head, Grand Manan	Grand Manan	Warden	30 00
Edward Carroll	Whitehead Island	do	do	30 00
Thos. Holmes	West side Deer Island	Deer Island	do	30 00
	Gloucester County.			
James Hickson	River Nepissiguit and tributaries, with sea coast and streams from Belledune River to Grindstone Point	Bathurst	Overseer	250 00
	Nepissiguit River	do	Warden	50 00
Juste Haché	Oyster beds in County, Caraquet and Shippegan	Caraquet	Overseer	100 00
Justinien Savoy	Tracadie	Tracadie, W.O.	Warden	30 00
John L. Veno	Pokemouche	Pokemouche	do	30 00
Frédéric Comeau	Petit Rocher, from Belledune to Mill Stream	Petit Roche	do	40 00
Miles Dempsey	Salmon Beach, from Bass River to Grindstone Point	Salmon Beach	do	30 00
Tim. Coughlan	Grindstone Point to Grand Anse	Grand Anse	do	30 00
Adolphe Haché	Shippegan	Shippegan	do	30 00
W. Rogers	Têta-à-gauche River	Tête-à-gauche, Bathurst	do	25 00
John Calnan, jun	That part of River Tête-à-gauche from a mile above the Mill Dam to the source of said river	Kinsale	do	25 00
Alexis Landry, jun	Pokemouche River	Pokemouche	Overseer	50 00
Augustin Cormier	Caraquet Herring Banks	Caraquet	do	50 00
Joseph Poirier	Bay Chaleur, between Grand Anse and Point Mizzenette	Grand Anse	do	50 00
	Kent County.			
Charles Cormier	Cocagne River	Cocagne	do	100 00
J. McD. Sutherland	Richibucto River	Richibucto	do	75 00
F. B. Léger	Little Buctouche River	Little Buctouche River	Warden	30 00
M. A. Girouard	Big do	Buctouche	Overseer	75 00
James Harnett	From the mouth of Nicholas River, on the Richibucto, upwards, including Nicholas River	Weldford	Warden	30 00
Lazare Guimon	From Kouchibouquacis to Chockfish River	Kouchibouquac	do	75 00
Nicholas Muzzeroll	From Kouchibouquacis River to Point Sapin	Kouchibouquac	do	50 00
A. L. Collet	Buctouche Bay	Buctouche	do	30 00
	King's County.			
Samuel Gosline	From mouth of Smith's Creek, upwards	Smith's Creek, W.O.	Overseer	100 00
	Carried forward			4,575 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK.—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			4,575 00
	King's County—Concluded.			
Samuel F. Ryan	Mill Stream	Studholm, Apohaqui	Warden	30 00
James A. Belyea	St. John River and Belle Isle Bay and streams running thereinto	Westfield	Overseer	50 00
Samuel Gamblin	Washademoak Lake and its tributaries in King's and Queen's Counties	English Settlement, Pearson's, W.O.	Warden	30 00
F. W. Hatfield	Belle Isle Bay	Belle Isle	do	50 00
Jonah Keith	North Canaan River	Havelock	do	30 00
	Northumberland County.			
Prudent Robichaud	Burnt Church River and tributaries, and Upper Tabusintac River	Upper Neguac	Overseer	100 00
John Stymast	Lower Tabusintac River	Stymast Road, Neguac.	do	50 00
William Wyse	Herring fisheries, Miramichi Bay, and bass fishing in Napan Bay and Black Rivers	Chatham	do	200 00
Chris. Parker	Miramichi River and tributaries, from Beaubair's Island to Blackville	Newcastle	do	160 00
Samuel Holt	From lower line of Blackville to Blissfield		do	160 00
John Hogan	Miramichi River (N.W.) and tributaries, from Chatham Ferry, upwards	Newcastle	do	400 00
Aaron Hovey	Miramichi River (S.W.) and tributaries, from Nelson's to Head of Hovey Island	Boiestown	Warden	30 00
George Bryanton	From Elm Tree Brook to Squire Underhill's, on the S.W. Miramichi River.	Derby, W.O.	do	30 00
Kenneth Cameron	Miramichi River (S.W.) from line of Blissfield to the head waters and tributaries	Boiestown	Overseer	100 00
Patrick Bergin	From Underhill's to Stephen Mitchell's, on S.W. Miramichi	Dumphey, W.O., Parish of Blackville, S.W., Miramichi	Warden	30 00
Thomas Smith	From lower end of Fingley's Island, on N.W. Miramichi, upwards, and the Big Sevogle	North Esk, Red Bank, W.O.	do	30 00
Jared Blackmore	From lower side of Ox Bow, on the Little South West, upwards	do do	Overseer	50 00
Patrick Gillis	Little S.W. River and tributaries	do do	Warden	30 00
Denis Hogan	Renous River and tributaries	Renous Bridge, W.O.	do	30 00
Michael Donovan	Renous River	Renous Bridge	do	30 00
John Shaddick	Big Sevogle to Square Forks	Sevogle	do	30 00
F. McDairmid	Napan and Black Rivers and tributaries	Napan, W. O., Chatham	do	30 00
John G. Williston	Bay du Vin River and Bay, with Parish of Hardwick, Fox and other Islands and Stations on South side of Main Channel, Miramichi River	Bay du Vin, W.O.	Overseer	100 00
James Russell	Miramichi Bay and Feeders	Lower Newcastle	do	150 00
	Carried forward			6,505 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK—*Continued.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward			6,505 00
	Northumberland County—Concluded.			
Enoch A. Bamford	South West Miramichi, within Parish of Blissfield	Blissfield	Warden	50 00
Samuel Freeze	From Doaktown to Hovey Islands, in the Parish of Blissfield, on the South West Miramichi River	Doaktown, Miramichi	Overseer	100 00
Daniel Mathews	From lower side of Ox Bow, on Little South West Miramichi, upwards	Little South West Miramichi River	Warden	30 00
Nat. Morehouse	Arbo Settlement, Parish of Blackville, South West Miramichi	Arbo Settlement	do	30 00
J. Underhill	Coughlin Settlement, Parish of Blackville, South West Miramichi	Coughlan Settlement	do	30 00
John Doyle	Tabusintac and Bartibog Rivers	Bartibog	do	30 00
George Hubbard	Whitney Settlement, N.W, Miramichi.	North Esk	do	30 00
John Blake	Miramichi River and tributaries, from Point aux Carr to Middle Island	Black Brook	do	70 00
Angus McIntosh	Miramichi River and tributaries, from Middle Island to Newcastle Ferry	Chatham Head	do	30 00
Tubal Watling	Black River and tributaries in the Parish of Glenelg	Black River	do	30 00
Samuel Kingston	Upper waters N. W. Miramichi River. from Rolph's Crossing, upwards		do	50 00
Robert Keating	N.W. Miramichi River and tributaries, from McKay's Plats to North West Bridge	North Esk	do	30 00
James Fitzpatrick	Black River	Napan	do	30 00
M. Ryan	North West Miramichi	North Esk	do	30 00
M. Hayes	Dungarvon River	Renous River	do	30 00
	Queen's County.			
Isaiah Langan	Salmon River	Chipman, W. O., Gaspereaux	Warden	30 00
John Secord	Canaan River	Longs' Creek, Johnston	do	30 00
I. T. Hetherington	From Cole's Island to foot of Washademoak Lake	Jenkins, W.O. Johnston	Overseer	100 00
Robert Philips	Head waters, Washademoak Lake		Warden	25 00
	Restigouche County.			
A. McPherson	From Belledune to Dalhousie	River Charlo	Overseer	100 00
J. A. Verge	The River Ristigouche and its tributaries, in the Counties of Ristigouche and Victoria, including also the waters of the Bay des Chaleurs	Cross Point, P.Q	do	
	Sunbury County.			
G. W. Hoben	St. John River, Indiantown. to Co. line of York	Burton, W.O	Overseer	100 00
W. E. Taylor	do do do	Sheffield	Warden	30 00
	Carried forward			7,520 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK—*Concluded.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
	Brought forward...	.....	.....	7,520 00
	St. John County.			
Joseph O'Brien.....	St. John County.....	Carleton, St. John	Overseer...	150 00
Wm. E. Skillen....	Eastern part of St. John County, from Quaco Head to Goose River.....	St. Martins	do ...	100 00
	Victoria County.			
C. McCluskey.....	County of Victoria.....	Grand Falls	Overseer...	100 00
Chas. Roberts.....	Lower Division, Tobique River	Andover	Warden ...	30 00
Jno. McDougall....	Three Brooks, branch of Tobique River.....	Rocky Brook, Parish of Lorne	do ...	30 00
Jno. C. McCloskey	Salmon River.....	Andover.....	do ...	30 00
Donald Fraser	Tobique River	Arthurette, W.O.....	do ...	30 00
Thos Edgar.....	Middle Division, Tobique River	Three Rivers.....	do ...	30 00
J McNab Cameron	Tobique River	Tobique River	do ...	30 00
	Westmoreland County.			
W. B. Deacon.....	Shediac Harbour and River	Shediac	Overseer..	100 00
D. T. Cormier	Dorchester Bay	Prè-d'en haut.....	do ...	60 00
Robt. Goodwin	The Parishes of Sackville and Westmoreland	Bay Verte	do ...	100 00
	York County.			
Robert Orr.....	County of York.....	Fredericton.....	Overseer...	150 00
J. Campbell	Grand Pass, on St. John River, upwards from Crock's Point to Lower Line of York County, including Nashwaak River	Kingsclear, W O., Fredericton	Warden ...	60 00
Wm. Brown	St John River, from Upper Line of York County to Crock's Point, on River St John.....	Southampton	do ...	60 00
A. Moir.....	From Price's Bend to Burnt Hill, S. W. Miramichi	Bloomfield....	do ...	30 00
	Total.....	.....	.....	8,610 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Continued.*

PROVINCE OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
				$ cts.
J. H. Duvar	Prince Edward Island	Alberton	Inspector of Fisheries	800 00
	Queen's County.			
Lionel Garnam	Winter River	Winter River	Warden	30 00
S. Vanderstine	Vernon River	Vernon River	do	30 00
Geo. Stephensen	New Glasgow	New Glasgow	do	30 00
James Power	Huntley and Wheatly Rivers	Hunter River	do	30 00
Jonathan Delany	New London	New London	do	30 00
John Mathieson	Bonshaw, from Appin Road to Dog River, and from South Wiltshire Road to the Coast	West River	do	30 00
Finlay Mackenzie	Lots 60 and 62	Pinette River	do	30 00
Francis Stanley	Charlottetown, including East, West, and North Rivers	Charlottetown	do	30 00
Wm. Whitehead	South West River	S. W. River	do	30 00
Thomas Murphy	Trout River	Trout River	do	30 00
Peter Traynor	Johnston's River, including Oyster Fishery at its mouth	Johnston's River	do	30 00
B. Loughrim	Orewell and Newtown Rivers	Orwell	do	30 00
W. Campbell	Cousin's Run	Cousin's Runy	do	30 00
Thos. W. Beers	Pownal Bay and Seal River	Cherry Valley	do	30 00
Jas. Howatt	Crapaud	Crapaud	do	30 00
	Prince County.			
Henry Clark	Dunk River and Egmont Bay	Summerside	Overseer	200 00
D. L. Bryant	From western bank of Big Pierre Jacques River to the point where the North line of Lot 15 touchs the shore of Egmont Bay	Enmore River	Warden	30 00
Calvin Howat	Tryon River	Tryon River	do	30 00
John Rix	Miminigash	Miminigash	do	30 00
James Ramsay	Lot 13, Trout River	Lot 13	do	30 00
James McLellan	Lot 14 do	Lot 14	do	30 00
John Tucker	Dunk River, Lot 25	Lot 25	do	30 00
Patrick McBride	do do	do	do	30 00
William Burns	do do	do	do	30 00
James Nelligan	Nail Pond and Skinner's Pond	Nail Pond	do	30 00
John Beaton	Lots 5, 6 and 10	Lot 10	do	30 00
Geo. A. Sharpe	Lot 12, on the Narrows	Lot 12	do	30 00
Patrick Delaney	Summerside, including Bedeque Bay and South part of Richmond Bay	Summerside	do	30 00
John Chaisson Chapel	Tignish, from line of Lot No. 2, northward, to include Little and Big Tignish, and westward to Railway.	Tignish	do	30 00
Peter Aylward	Skinner's Pond, southward, from south end of Nail Pond to Black Pond, inclusive, and East to Railway	do	do	30 00
Alex. McDonald	Cascumpeque Bay and Inlet, from the Narrows to Kildare Capes	Alberton	do	30 00
Thos. Drummond	Dunk River	Freetown	do	30 00
V. S. Gillis	Richard Bay and Malpeque	Indian River, Lot 18	do	30 00
	Carried forward			1,960 00

SCHEDULE of Fishery Officers in the several Provinces, &c.—*Concluded.*

PROVINCE OF PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND—*Concluded.*

Name.	District.	Address.	Overseer or Warden.	Salary.
	Brought forward			1,960 00
	King's County.			
Andrew Whelan	Souris River	Souris River	Warden	30 00
Allan McDonald	North Lake	North Lake	do	30 00
Malcolm Mathewson	Grand River	Grand River	do	30 00
John McDonald	Naufrage River	Naufrage River	do	30 00
Daniel Reilly	Montague, from Georgetown Road to Whim Road, and from County Line to the Coast	Montague River	do	30 00
John Lowe	Murray Harbour and River, including Lot 63 and 64	Murray Harbour	do	30 00
Peter Duffy	St. Peter's and Morell	St. Peter's	do	30 00
James Mitchell	First District of Morell	Peake's Road	do	30 00
John O'Brien	Second do	Morell River	do	30 00
Pat. McCullough	Third do	Peake's Road	do	30 00
J. H. Dingwell	Fourth do	Morell River	do	30 00
James Burke	Cardigan Bay	Georgetown	do	30 00
Robert Quinn	Brudenell River	Cardigan	do	30 00
	Total			2,350 00

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

Alex. C. Anderson	British Columbia	Victoria	Inspector Fisheries	600 00
Geo. Pettendreigh.	do	New Westminster	Overseer	500 00
	Total			1,100 00

RECAPITULATION.

Samuel Wilmot, Superintendent, Fish-Breeding Establishments in the Dominion	$2,000 00
Ontario	7,085 00
Quebec	7,595 00
Nova Scotia	11,350 00
New Brunswick	8,610 00
Prince Edward Island	2,350 00
British Columbia	1,100 00
Total	$40,090 00

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NOVA SCOTIA.

ANNUAL REPORT ON THE FISHERIES OF NOVA SCOTIA, FOR THE YEAR 1882, BY W. H. ROGERS, Esq., INSPECTOR.

AMHERST, 31st December, 1882.

Hon. A. W. McLELAN,

Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

SIR,—I have the honor to submit my Annual Report on the Fisheries of Nova Scotia for the past year, together with synopses of the reports of the Fishery Overseers and statistical returns from the various Counties, as compiled by these officers; also a general table and recapitulation containing a full statement of the several items, quantities and values, comprised in our entire fish crop for the year. I have also prepared comparative tables, showing the increase or decrease in each county over the preceding year, as well as a table giving the increase or decrease with reference to each item, which together will enable interested parties to see at a glance the localities where, as well as what particular branches of the fisheries have improved or declined during the season.

These figures do not represent exactly the entire yield of the fisheries. I am satisfied, however, that they may be relied upon as being as nearly correct as it is possible to obtain them, with the present means, and that they may safely be considered to represent less than the actual crop gathered by the fishermen rather than more. As the prices at which these returns are made, remain the same from year to year, the high rates ruling in the fish market during the past season have contributed nothing to the very large increase the returns show. They represent, however, the actual improvement in the yield or quantities of fish taken—the value of the increase being no less than $916,642.86, and the total yield $7,131,418.36, or about $250 for each fisherman employed, and for each vessel (including boats) $562. When it is borne in mind that the number of fishermen given includes men and women actually employed in catching and packing lobsters, and in all other branches of the fisheries, and all persons engaged in fishing only occasionally or during portions of the season only, $250 is a very good showing per hand, the same applying to vessels and boats.

The figures given in their proper columns show that our river fisheries, particularly salmon and alewives, are rapidly increasing, and I have no doubt they will continue to increase for some years hence. By far the larger portion of the total increase in the past year appears to have been in Digby County, and is quite satisfactorily explained by Mr. Wm. Hanley, the local overseer.

SALMON.

It is generally known that there has been, for several years past, a gradual and continued decline in this fishery all along the shores of the Maritime Provinces, and, I may add, everywhere along the Atlantic Coast. This fact has brought to the surface a host of seers, who have urged as the cause of the continued decrease as many theories; but like the alewives, the salmon are again returning in abundance, to their

old haunts, as the following table showing the catch of these fish in this Province since 1878, demonstrates :—

1878	653,304 lbs.
1879	535,110 "
1880	383,550 "
1881	279,943 "
1882	622,965 "

the year '82 giving an increase of 125 per cent. over the preceding one, and an average increase of 37 per cent. over the four previous years. It is also a fact, which augurs well for the future, that our rivers were well stocked with parent fish in the fall, particularly those into which Mr. A. B. Wilmot has been planting young salmon for the last five or six years. A continuation of this planting, but upon a much larger scale, with the construction of one of the new fishways in each mill-dam, would very soon have the effect of filling our rivers and coast with these valuable fish again.

The results of artificial culture would be much more apparent now, had the small number of fry produced by the hatchery at Bedford been placed in three or four of our principal salmon rivers, instead of in some thirty to forty streams and brooks, as was the case. To supply so many rivers, we should have had some ten to fifteen millions of fry to distribute instead of one million. Hatcheries should be placed at Liverpool and on the Tusket in Yarmouth as soon as possible, because one salmon in those parts of the Province is worth in dollars and cents six of those from the eastern rivers, owing to the fact that they enter the streams in March, and are therefore often worth $1 per lb. I saw a 21 lb. salmon in Yarmouth last year sell for $16. They are shipped to Boston and New York where they are always in great demand at that season of the year. The rivers of Lunenburg, Queens, Shelburne, and Yarmouth could, with a moderate outlay, be made to produce millions of dollars in wealth to the country in ten or twelve years by a proper and liberal effort in this direction. Money cannot be spent in this country in any enterprise which will more certainly return a rich reward than in the artificial culture of salmon in these localities, and I trust this matter will receive your most earnest consideration.

Alewives.

The Gaspereaux fishery shows a slight decline in the quantity caught during the year, but this fact does not prove that the fish were not even more plentiful than they were in the previous year, because owing to the market of the year before being dull the sale was limited. Hence, the same effort was not made to capture them during the season of 1882. The catch in 1881 was 22,474 bbs., and in 1882, 21,656 bbs., or a decrease of 818 bbs. A very large increase, however, may with confidence be anticipated for the coming season, because they are passing up freely and abundantly through the new fishways to our extensive inland lakes and spawning grounds. It is hoped that during the coming season a large number of fishways will be constructed on the principal streams, and thus remedy the long existing obstructions.

Shad.

There has been a large decline in the catch of this fish during the past season, which I hope will be more than made up during the coming two or three years, as they are being rapidly increased by artificial culture all along the American coast, a fact which must have a beneficial effect upon the Bay of Fundy fishery. Shad have been in good demand, however, and high prices were obtained.

Lobsters.

There has been an increase of about 70,000 cans of preserved lobsters. I would not recommend any extension of the open season for these fish, if any such change is

contemplated. I would, on the contrary, strongly recommend that for the future in this Province a close seasan of two months be required, for during most of that time they are really unfit for food and ought not to be packed.

Herring.

This fishery has at least held its own, and does not appear to verify the gloomy foreboding of many of the fishermen,—that it would be utterly destroyed owing to the effect of bait used by the lobster fishermen. The Digby herring fishery has been largely increased, notwithstanding the oft asserted ruinous effect of sawdust. The following table will show the rapid increase since 1878:

1878	7,165 boxes
1879	32,840 "
1880	60,020 "
1881	67,325 "
1882	159,505 "

These figures are sufficient proof that sawdust is not likely, at least, to utterly ruin this fishery.

Cod, &c.

The returns show an increase of 189,579 cwt. in Cod, Pollock, Hake and Haddock, and, as prices were high this year, our fishermen are preparing to procecute these fisheries in the future with much more vigor and enterprise. We may therefore expect a much larger fish harvest for the year 1883.

Mackerel.

These fish give us an increase of 10,325 barrels, which may be largely credited to the Yarmouth and Shelburne trap-nets. This mode of fishing is proving an excellent and economic one, and is rapidly coming into favor.

Fishways.

Two new fishways made after my own model have been constructed during the year, one at Hubbard's Cove and the other on Mr. Todd's dam on Indian River, in the County of Halifax. During the coming summer I hope to be able to build a large number in the heaviest dams and on the largest streams. This I regard as the most important part of our work, for the new fishway renders the river practically as free for the ascent of fish of all kinds as if no dam existed, and it does so without any injury whatever to the water-power. It can also be made as effective for passing fish over natural falls, at a much less cost than by any other mode. Every new dam in this Dominion should have one of these structures built in with the dam, while the latter is being constructed, as it can then be done more easily and at much less cost and inconvenience.

General Remarks.

For more detailed or local information in relation to the fisheries, I would respectfully refer you to the subjoined synopses of the County and District Overseers' reports. Poaching is not so persistently pursued as formerly, while in many districts it is entirely abandoned, but only so in proportion to the vigilance and intelligence of our officers, many of whom take much interest in their work, while many others, I am sorry to say, are almost or altogether useless.

The outlook for a still larger increase in the crop of next year I regard as more than hopeful, and I particularly anticipate a large increase of salmon for reasons already stated.

I have the honor to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant,
W. H. ROGERS,
Inspector of Fisheries.

SYNOPSES OF FISHERY OVERSEERS' REPORTS.

ANNAPOLIS COUNTY.

Overseer W. T. Carty, of Tupperville, reports that although the season's catch has been less than that of the previous year, the receipts have been greater on account of high prices. The fishways are generally in good condition, but there is need of a new one at Round Hill, the old one having been closed up by new buildings connected with the factory in that place. Salmon do not frequent the Nictaux River above the first dam, and it is quite impossible for them to get up the stream while this dam exists. As there is no mill in connection with it, Mr. Carty thinks it should at once be opened to allow the fish an easy ascent. He has no fines or forfeitures to report, although he has good reason to believe that poaching is made a regular business by many. This Oversser believes that if he were allowed one-half the amount of money paid to wardens he could employ detectives who would protect the salmon fishery far more satisfactorily than under the existing arrangements.

ANTIGONISH COUNTY.

Overseer John McDonald, of Doctor's Brook, reports an increased catch, which he attributes to the better prices which induced the fishermen to make greater efforts. The salmon fishery was much better last year, while the prices obtained were better than ever before. The lobster fishery has been as good as usual; a new factory is in course of erection at Malignant Cove. Several parties charged with violations of the Fishery Laws made confessions and were convicted. Mr. McDonald regrets that no action has yet been made in regard to having a number of the improved fishways built in Antigonish. The wardens have reported no violations of the law during the season. An additional warden is much needed at the South River, where the railway crosses it.

CAPE BRETON COUNTY.

Overseer Francis Quinan, of Sydney, states that he has to report—in common with all the fishery officers in the Island of Cape Breton—a great scarcity of fish during the season. In Mira Bay, and the grounds south, the run of herring and codfish has been fair; but to the north all kinds of fish have been very scarce. Of all the explanations given this year for the absence of mackerel, salmon and halibut, the presence of the gulf ice until late in the spring, seems to be the most plausible Alewives appear to have been plentiful in the rivers, but the people have not fished them, probably because they found it would pay them better to work in the mines. Wardens are needed at Black Brook, Mira, Cow Bay, Mira Bay, and Big Glace Bay, in the three last named places in order to prevent vessels from depositing offal in forbidden localities. In regard to fishways and saw-dust, Mr. Quinan has nothing unfavorable to report.

Overseer Alexander McDonald, of East Bay, reports that the fishermen did much better than they expected about the first of June, for at that time the whole sea border of the district was jammed with drift ice. The cod and herring fisheries were the most vigorously prosecuted, probably because these fish found a ready market at home. Owing to better prices the fishermen are far better remunerated than last year, although the catch has been less. The great decrease in the catch of lobsters is owing to the drift ice. The fishermen of Main à Dieu are considerably troubled by vessels and boats from other parts of the Province, which anchor on the herring grounds.

Overseer York Barrington, of Sydney Mines, reports a better catch of cod this season than for many years. He cannot account for the absence of halibut, but thinks that the scarcity of herrings was owing to sudden changes of wind. Cod and herring are the only fish marketed abroad. The September storms and freshets carried away many dams, and he has ordered that, as they are replaced, fishways be built in them. All the fishermen seem well satisfied with the laws.

COLCHESTER COUNTY.

Overseer Henry Blair, of Truro, reports a scarcity of fish. The run of shad was very small, so small, in fact, that the boats only fished half the season. Alewives and salmon were both very scarce. None of the latter came into the rivers until October, after which, however, there were two or three very good runs of the spawning fish. The only trouble Mr. Blair has, is with mill-owners, in regard to the refuse. There are no fishways in his district, although he says they are much needed in different places.

Overseer R. J. Pollock, of Lower Stewiache, reports that the people in his district appear to be losing interest in fishing. They seem to be satisfied with catching enough for home use.

Overseer Henderson Gass, of Tatamagouche, reports that the falling off in the catch of almost all kinds of fish in his district, is probably due to the fact that the people did not engage in the fishing business to such an extent as formerly.

Overseer J. W. Davison, of Little Bass River, reports a considerable increase in the catch of salmon over the preceding three years. Salmon fishing, however, is not followed as a business in his district, but the salmon caught are taken wholly in the shad nets, which are not strong enough, and the meshes of which are not large enough for salmon. The catch of shad which are the principle fish taken, was small this year, owing to the prevalence of unfavorable winds. The number of boats and nets engaged in the shad fishery this year was larger than usual, owing to the success of the fishermen in the years before. Cod fishing is carried on principally by set lines or trawls, a method condemned by the line fishermen. Mr. Davison, however, believes that it is the only method of taking cod, that is at all remunerative. This fishery was small this year, because it was not vigorously carried on. The herring fishery has never been made a business in his district, although he believes, by a reasonable outlay, it could be made profitable. Large numbers of these fish come up the bay, from the middle of April to the last of June.

CUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Overseer James King, of Amherst, reports that there have been less men engaged in fishing this year than during last, owing, he says, to the demand for lumber. In portions of the district, where fishing was prosecuted with energy, the catch was an average one. The catch of both salmon and shad is less than that of the last season. The yield of herring and alewives has been fair. In regard to fishways, he has to report about the same as he did last year, with the exception that an improvement has been made upon the one at Apple River. The amount of sawdust in the rivers is greater on account of the great increase in lumbering. The mills on the Parrsboro' River have been injuring the harbor considerably, but the owners have been notified of their violation of the law, and have agreed to provide means to keep their rubbish out of the stream.

DIGBY COUNTY.

Overseer William Hanley, of Digby, reports that this season's catch has exceeded that of last year by *over* 150 *per cent.* The deep sea fishery was unusually successful, owing, he thinks, to the inducement which the high prices given offered. There has been a large increase in the catch of both mackerel and herring, and a small increase in the catch of shad. Mr. Hanley says that several complaints have been made against mill-owners for throwing sawdust and mill rubbish into the rivers. There are, he says, some 27 saw mills in the Meteghan River. The fishways on Salmon River are very defective, and should at once either be repaired or replaced by new ones. Two factories for canning haddock were in operation during the season, but there has been no lobster factories. The regulations, not referred to above, have been tolerably well observed.

GUYSBOROUGH COUNTY.

Overseer James A. Tory reports an increase in the catch amounting to $66,304 in value. This large increase in the value, with the general increase in the price of fish, has made the season a very profitable one for the fishermen. Some kinds of fish, however, have fallen short of the usual catch; this is especially the case with codfish and lobsters. These fisheries were very much injured by the ice blockade in the spring. Although the time for lobster fishing was extended by the Department to August 14th, none of the canning establishments took advantage of the extension. Fish in the fresh water rivers appear to be steadily increasing, and large numbers have ascended the different streams. He has no fines or even complaints to report, although several of the wardens, as well as himself, have been rather busy in keeping the river clear of would-be transgressors. Mr Tory recommends that an Order in Council be passed prohibiting seine hauling or sweeping on fresh water rivers, for fish entering therein for the purpose of spawning, or in any other way molesting those fish while ascending to their different spawning grounds.

Overseer Allan McQuarrie, of Sherbrooke, says that this year's fishing was made one month shorter on account of the ice blockade in the spring. The fall catch, however was exceedingly good, and on the whole the value of the catch exceeds that of last year. The salmon fishery has been better than for many years. Alewives were very plentiful, and with them this year came numbers of shad, which are seldom seen there. Cod and herring were much more plentiful than usual, but the shortness of the season did not permit a large quantity to be taken. Mr. McQuarrie states that saw-dust is yearly accumulating. The fishermen are yearly becoming better acquainted with the laws, and are beginning to understand their meaning and reason, and prejudices against them are being speedily removed. The fishways are getting out of repair, and ought to be replaced at once by improved ones. The wardens are generally vigilant, and ready to give the Overseer their assistance. The laws have been better observed this year than ever before, and Mr. McQuarrie is aware of little or no poaching; and has no other violation of the law or complaints to report.

HALIFAX COUNTY.

Overseer John Fitzgerald, of Portuguese Cove, reports that during the past year the catch of fish was considerably less than that of the previous year. The high prices, however, which have ruled during 1882, have more than made up to the fishermen for their light fares. It has been a number of years since salmon were so abundant. Mackerel were very scarce during the season, because, the fishermen say, they kept to the bottom, and the net had to be sunk to a depth of thirty fathoms in order to catch any.

Overseer Wm. Anderson, of Musquodoboit Harbour, reports that although he was at one time in favor of fish passes around the end of the dam rather than the old fashioned fishway, he would strongly recommend that "Rogers' fishway" be used. "It not only passes the fish up, but its location in the centre of the stream hides them from the gaze, and protects them from the spear and dip net of the poacher. There is no looking for the entrance. The fish are in it, and up before they know." If these ladders were adopted, Mr. Anderson would dismiss such wardens and overseers as the Inspector would see were unnecessary. If about five hundred dollars were expended for removing obstructions on West Sheet Harbour, Chezzetcook, Cow Bay, and Salmon rivers, they would be rendered free for the passage of fish. He recommends that one of "Rogers' fishways" be placed at once in the Sheet Harbour river mill-dam. With respect to the season's fishing, with a moderate catch and high prices, the fishermen are well satisfied. Fishing was not so good in the eastern part of the province, owing to the drift ice. The lobster factories closed down before the appointed time, and did not ask for an extension of time. Mr. Anderson says that it has turned out as he predicted, namely, that the lobster trade is being killed out by

over fishing. As a proof, the lobsters caught west of Jedore were very much smaller than those taken east, simply because those waters have been so long fished for the Halifax market. He reports a fine of six dollars.

Hants County.

Overseer T. B. O'Brien, of Maitland, reports that in comparison with last year there has been a slight decrease in the catch of shad, but a large increase in that of alewives; in fact, the catch of the latter has been much larger than that of any year since his appointment. He had a great deal of trouble with poachers during the season, and consider it utterly impossible to put an end to it. The fishermen are much inclined to prefer charges against mill owners for violating the law in regard to sawdust and rubbish. Mr. O'Brien considers the appointment of a Warden at Enfield a necessity.

Overseer J. B. Colter, of Milford, reports that the catch of fish in his district during the season was better than that of last year. Salmon, however, were very scarce, but alewives, shad and bass were on the increase. There have been fewer violations of the fishery laws during the season than at any time since Mr. Colter took office.

Inverness County

Overseer D. F. McLean, of Port Hood, reports a general decrease in the catch of mackerel, herring, alewives, cod, hake, haddock, halibut, shad, bass, oysters, and lobsters, and a small increase in the catch of salmon, trout, smelts and eels. He has estimated the whole value of the fisheries in his division for 1882 at $159,024.65, which is $30,128.70 less than that of 1881. No satisfactory explanation of the decrease has been made by any of the fishermen. In the case of lobsters, however, the decreased catch was probably due to the drift ice that remained on the coast until the first of June. The extension of time granted by the Government was not taken advantage of by either the proprietors of the two canning establishments or the fishermen. Mr. McLean, says that he is convinced by facts which have come under his personal observation that during the greater part of the month of August, lobsters are unfit to be used for food. The whole of the catch during that month of the past season appeared to be in a sickly condition. He has nothing new to report in reference to the injurious effects that sawdust may have on the fisheries. The present system of protecting our fisheries under the existing law has done a great deal of good. Practical results can be seen every year in the various sections in which good officers are appointed and stationed. To make any radical change in the mode of carrying our present fishery law into effect would be imprudent.

Overseer James Coady, of south-west Margaree, reports a decrease in the value of the total catch in the eastern division of Inverness County. It is due chiefly to the falling off in the catch of lobsters, there being no canning establishments in operation in his district during the season. Owing to the presence of drift ice, few fishing operations were begun before the twentieth of June. Prices, however, were good, so that the fishermen realized a fair profit. The catch of herring was smaller than usual, but that of trout and salmon was larger. Several cases of violation of the law occurred, and were dealt with accordingly. The Wardens are generally good officers, but complain that they are not properly paid.

Overseer David Ross, of north-east Margaree, reports that the catch of codfish was about the same as that of last season, but that the prices obtained were far better. The catch of herring was a failure, and that of mackerel was below the average. The lobster packers at Cheticamp closed their factories about the 25th of August, but succeeded in putting up only about half as many as last year. The fly fishing on the north-east branch of the Margaree River was much better this year than usual. One hundred and sixteen salmon were taken from this stream for the Sydney hatchery. The salmon fishery on the shore was a complete failure. The close season was exceedingly well observed this year.

KING'S COUNTY.

Overseer J. E. Starr, of Starr's Point, reports an increase of about twenty thousand dollars, being, he thinks, the largest catch ever made in this district. The increase is largely due to the success of the herring fishery. The shad fishery of Mines Basin and Scott's Bay was almost a failure, but fish of all kinds were in good demand, and brought good prices.

Overseer R. F. Reid, of Wolfville, regrets to report again a falling off in the catch of alewives in the Gaspereaux River. He, however, reports a large increase in the catch of salmon. Lane's Mills, at the head of the Gaspereaux, have been destroyed by fire, so that the fish have a free passage through to the lake. He is still of the opinion that one of "Rogers' fishways" should be placed at the Benjamin Mills, so that, as Lane's Mills are destroyed, the fish will practically have a free river. Mr. Reid has no violations of the fishery laws to report.

LUNENBURG COUNTY.

Overseer Geo. W. Redden, of Chester, reports an increased catch of salmon Salmon nets, however, were not set early on the shores on account of drift ice and heavy easterly winds. Larder's, Upper Gold, and East Rivers, are about the only ones which need clearing. There has been a marked increase in the catch of lobsters, which is due, Mr. Redden thinks, to the close time required by the Department. As bank fishing will probably be of great importance, he would recommend that licenses be granted to all applying for them, so that vessels will be enabled to get bait without going to the eastern part of the Province.

Overseer C. E. Goddard, of Bridgewater, regrets again to report a decrease in the fisheries on the La Have River. Mr. Goddard's opinion is that fishways that project a distance below the dam, are sure to prove a failure, and it is to this fact that he attributes the falling off of fish in the La Have. He thinks that if the dams were furnished with the improved fishways, the river would soon be restocked.

Overseer H. S. Jost, of Lunenburg, reports an increase of $129,40 in his district over the catch of last year. For the fishermen, however, the catch is really more, for cod sold for prices twenty per cent. better than that calculated. The Labrador fishing fleet was not, as a whole, successful in their season's business but the prices obtained were good. The Bay men obtained very good fares, which with the prices given were considered good results. The shore line fishery was poor, and the salmon seem to have entirely left the shores. In reference to a close time for lobsters, Mr. Jost believes that July and August would be the best time not to allow fishing for lobsters. If a longer close time is needed, he would recommend it to be from June 20th to September 10th. He thinks that the lower prices obtained for caned lobsters have been caused by the use of lobsters unfit for canning This matter should at once be attended to, as the business is being entirely over-done.

PICTOU COUNTY.

Overseer A. C. Pritchard, of New Glasgow, reports that the catch of lobsters at Pictou Island is not what it has been. The lobsters are very small, and consequently the business at the factories is not so remunerative as formerly. According to the testimony of several experienced coast fishermen, unless a close season be instituted, the lobster industry will in a few years be entirely destroyed. The fishermen in the vicinity of the lobster grounds report that large quantities are taken with spawn attached, and also many under nine inches in length. In order to prevent such irregularities, Mr. Pritchard suggests that a warden be appointed for the Island.

The run of salmon in the East and Middle Rivers during the last season was, as far as can be judged, less than that of former years. With the assistance of the two extra men allowed him and of the warden there, Mr. Pritchard succeeded in confiscating ten nets on the East River, and others on the Middle and West Rivers. The run

of salmon and sea trout on the West River is annually increasing. A fishway is much needed at Grant's Mill on the East Branch of the East River. Several prosecutions have been postponed in order to obtain additional evidence.

Overseer D. G. McDonald, of Lismore, reports a great increase in the catch of salmon in his district. The prices obtained are better than formerly by nearly one hundred per cent. More salmon have ascended the rivers this year than since 1878, a fact due, Mr. McDonald thinks, to the fall freshets coming earlier than usual. There has been an increase in the catch of lobsters also, which is due, not to the increase of the fish, but to the improved appliances used. The frequent rumors in regard to poaching were without foundation, and there is no doubt that the close season is as well observed in his district as in any in the Province. Outside of a dispute between lobster and salmon fishermen, which has been settled, no troubles have existed.

Overseer Robert Sutherland, of River John, reports that salmon have not been so plenty in rivers as formerly, a fact probably due to the various mill dams. Fishways are needed at once on a number of rivers. Mr. Sutherland has no violations of the law to report.

QUEEN'S COUNTY.

Overseer John Fitzgerald, of Mill Village, reports that the season's fishing has been better than either that of 1880 or of 1881 as regards salmon, smelts and eels, but that the catch of alewives was much smaller than that of last year. The amount of salmon caught was nearly double that of 1881 and treble that of 1880, a fact which proves that the removal of formerly existing obstructions has been followed by the expected results. Although the catch of alewives was less than that of last year, yet it was a great improvement on the average of the last ten years. There is abundant evidence that the quantity of these fish in the lower part of the harbor was as great as in the previous year, but the prevalence of cold easterly winds during May prevented their coming into the river until a very late period. The immense quantity of young fish that have been coming down the river since the middle of August leaves no room to doubt that the fish reached the spawning grounds. The increase of salmon brought with it an increase of poachers, but very few escaped fine or forfeiture. Most of the offences were committed by persons from an adjoining county.

Overseer S. T. N. Sellon, of Liverpool, reports that fishing in his district has not been very remunerative, a fact owing probably to the cold easterly winds and also to an abundance of snow in the woods, which kept the water in the rivers cold. He retains his opinion that lobster fishing is destructive to the net, line and deep water fishery. Herring fishing was a failure, owing to which, the vessels and boats were unable to obtain bait, thus losing much of the season. There has been a large increase in the catch of salmon, the fishing in both the Port Medway River and the Liverpool being very remunerative. The eggs deposited in 1881 and 1882 were successfully hatched, and the young fish have been seen many miles above their place of deposit. The catch of alewives was very small owing to the winds, while that of mackerel was a complete failure. Codfish were plentiful, but owing to the scarcity of bait the catch was small. Lobsters were much smaller in size than usual, many of them just reaching the lawful length.

RICHMOND COUNTY.

Overseer Francis Marmeau, of Arichat, reports that the great decrease in the catch of haddock was due to the large quantity of ice that remained on the coast. Mackerel were of good quality and very plentiful in the fall. Codfish were not quite as plentiful as they were last year, but the prices were almost double, so that the fishermen were on the whole much better remunerated.

Overseer Duncan Cameron, of Saint Peter's, reports a large falling off in the catch of fish this season as compared with that of last year. It is due, he says, altogether to the scarcity of fish, and not to any want of energy or perseverance on the part of

the fishermen. The immense advance in prices, however, leaves the fishermen well compensated for the decrease in the quantity taken. He has no infringement of the law to report during the whole season.

SHELBURNE COUNTY.

Overseer Wm. J. McGill, of Shelburne, reports an increase in the catch. Fish of all kinds have commanded high prices throughout the season. The weather was very unfavorable at the first of the season, and many of the boats did not go out. Fish near shore do not appear to be nearly so plentiful as in former years. Trap fishing has been very successful. The catch was much better than usual, and there was a great demand for fresh bait. The fish sold for bait far exceeded the usual amount. There was a decrease of 109,484 cans of lobsters, due to the very unfavorable weather. Had it not been for the extension of time which was granted, there would have been a much greater decrease. Most of the alewives taken were caught in streams free of obstructions, showing conclusively that mill dams and poorly constructed fishways are the great sources of injury to the fishing interests.

VICTORIA COUNTY.

Overseer Donald McRae, of Baddeck, reports a large decrease in the catch, which, he thinks, is owing to the fact that the price of fish during late years has been so small that fishing has not been sufficiently remunerative for the people. This year, however, prices have been very high, and on this account Mr. McRae looks for a large catch next year. The law has only been violated in one instance, when the offenders were fined.

Overseer John W. Burke, of Ingonish, reports a fair season's catch. Mackerel were somewhat more plentiful than last year, while salmon also have slightly increased. The lobster factory which was started this year seems to have taken the fishermen from the other fisheries. The factory has done a lively business, having packed about 80,000 cans of lobsters, and about 40,000 cans of mackerel. He found it absolutely necessary to watch the rivers during the close season. A few old nets were seized by him, which had been set for salmon and trout.

YARMOUTH COUNTY.

Overseer Enos Gardner, of Tusket, reports quite an increase over last year's catch. The prices were never known to be better. All the bank fishermen and the majority of the shore fishermen, got full fares. The trap nets for mackerel all got a fair quantity, but would have been much more successful, had it not been for a severe gale, which injured the traps considerably. The alewive fishery was about the same as that of last year. The rivers appear to be well stocked with them, and in the autumn large numbers of the young fish came down. Mr. Gardner reports as follows in regard to the season's salmon fishery:—"This fishery has not been known to be so good for the past forty years. The fish were of good size and quality, and the price in the American market kept high until quite late in the season. About eighteen thousand pounds of salmon were shipped in steamers from Yarmouth to the United States. In the early part of the season, when the freshet was high large numbers went up to the head waters of the rivers, and the rafters reported that the large lakes about fifteen miles above tidal water were alive with them." A fishway is much needed at Carleton, and, as the owners of the mill are quite willing to put one at their own expense, the matter should at once receive attention. The improved ladder is the only one which Mr. Gardner thinks will overcome the existing difficulties. The only canning establishment in operation in the county this year, which is at Lower Argyle, put up nearly double the quantity they did last year. The proprietor says the lobsters were of good size this year, but is of the opinion that July and August should be the close season, because during those months many of the lobsters are soft and unfit for food. A new industry in the

lobster fishery was started this year. A company at Arcadia built a small steamer for the purpose of shipping lobsters alive to the United States. A new company has been formed for this business, and a steamer of seventy feet keel is being built at Tusket for the purpose. The regulations have been generally observed, and, now that the fish appear to be returning, the people seem more than ever willing to comply with the law. Next year there will be quite a fleet of new vessels enter the fishing business. Schooners and large boats are being built all along the coast, and will be launched in the spring. The prospects are that the good prices will continue, and the fishermen are preparing themselves accordingly.

TABLE showing the actual increase and decrease of the several productions of the Fisheries in the Province of Nova Scotia, compared with 1881.

Articles.		Increase.	Decrease.
Salmon	barrels.	243	
do in ice	lbs.	227,852	
do smoked	do	58,720	
do preserved	in cans.		8,154
Mackerel	barrels.	10,325	
do	cans.	2,911	
Herring	barrels.		4,908
do smoked	boxes.	92,180	
Alewives	barrels.		818
Cod	cwt.	29,909	
Cod Tongues and Sounds	barrels.	93	
Pollock	cwt.	74,690	
Hake	do	38,808	
Haddock	do	46,088	
Halibut	lbs.	33,961	
Shad	barrels.		2,940
Bass	lbs.	430	
Trout	do	13,265	
Smelt	do		8,910
Eels	barrels.		168
Oysters	do		525
Lobsters	cans.	69,785	
Fish Oil	gallons.	58,841	
Fish Guano	tons.	227	
Fish used as manure	barrels.		3,588
Lobsters	tons.	805	
Hake Sounds	lbs.	15,965	
Squid	barrels.	1,025	

COMPARATIVE STATEMENTS of value of Fisheries in each County, in the Province of Nova Scotia, for the Years 1881 and 1882.

Counties.	1881.	1882.	Increase.	Decrease.
	$ cts.	$ cts.	$ cts.	$ cts.
Annapolis	151,857 20	152,040 00	182 80	
Antigonish	55,155 65	59,333 75	4,178 10	
Cape Breton	268,477 00	253,081 85		15,395 15
Colchester	67,651 25	55,075 30		12,575 95
Cumberland	55,202 90	56,943 20	1,740 30	
Digby	481,382 00	1,224,274 66	742,892 66	
Guysborough	562,598 50	647,720 20	85,121 70	
Halifax	722,446 20	763,795 35	41,349 15	
Hants	24,971 60	19,307 40		5,664 20
Inverness	399,209 75	346,585 75		52,624 00
Kings	62,246 25	83,748 00	21,501 75	
Lunenburg	1,150,682 95	1,293,882 60	143,199 65	
Pictou	73,960 40	101,640 75	27,680 35	
Queens	227,061 00	151,285 70		75,775 30
Richmond	416,403 80	338,936 90		77,466 90
Shelburne	791,389 25	813,857 15	22,467 90	
Victoria	118,678 70	141,961 25	23,282 55	
Yarmouth	585,401 10	627,948 55	42,547 45	
Totals	6,214,775 50	7,131,418 36	1,156,144 36 239,501 50	239,501 50
Increase			916,642 86	

GENERAL RECAPITULATION.

Kinds of Fish.	Quantites.	Rate.	Value.
		$ cts.	$ cts.
Salmon, pickled	700 brls.	15 00	10,500 00
do fresh, in ice	418,055 lbs.	0 15	62,708 25
do smoked	65,910 lbs.	0 15	9,886 50
do preserved	1,096 cans.	0 15	164 40
Mackerel	73,702 brls.	10 00	737,020 00
do preserved	42,600 cans.	0 15	6,390 00
Herring	193,361 brls.	4 00	773,444 00
do per 100, frozen	28,500	0 45	12,825 00
do smoked	159,505 boxes.	0 25	39,876 25
Alewives	21,056 brls.	4 00	86,624 00
Cod	611,938 cwt.	4 25	2,600,736 50
Cod Tongues and Sounds	1,263 brls.	7 00	8,841 00
Pollock	106,248 cwt.	3 50	371,868 00
Hake	112,693 do	3 50	394,425 50
Haddock	162,041 do	3 50	567,143 50
Halibut	752,331 lbs.	0 06	45,139 86
Shad	6,456 brls.	8 00	51,648 00
Bass, Trout and Smelt	415,435 lbs.	0 06	24,926 10
Eels	1,783 brls.	9 00	16,047 00
Oysters	1,745 do	3 00	5,235 00
Lobsters, preserved	4,965,477 cans.	0 15	744,821 55
do tons	840 tons.	40 00	33,600 00
do in shell	258,000 per M.	25 00	6,450 00
Fish Oil	475,863 galls.	0 65	309,310 95
Fish Guano	2,047 tons.	15 00	30,705 00
Fish used as manure	16,192 brls.	0 50	8,096 00
Fish used for bait			16,220 00
Hake Sounds	60,820 lbs.	0 60	36,492 00
Squid	3,425 brls.	4 00	13,700 00
Halifax Fish Market			30,000 00
Halibut, Haddock and Haddies in Digby Co			22,750 00
Albicores and Clams in Queen's Co.			1,675 00
Capelin in Cape Breton			600 00
Home consumption of various counties, as per returns			49,519 00
Smoked Haddies in Annapolis			1,500 00
Fresh Codfish in Digby Co.			500 00
Total			7,131,418 36

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in Fish, and the Total Number of Men employed, &c., in the

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.											
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.		Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.							
Annapolis.			$			$			$		$							
Margaretsville	...	.....	.....	...	12	240	24	1000	500	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	800
Port George	1	4	75	3	40	800	80	14000	7000	3	500	...	7000	...	...	3	...	3000
Port Lorne	3	40	550	10	10	300	20	600	300	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	....	...	2000
Hampton	...	.....	.....	...	22	396	44	2640	1320	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	....	...	2200
Rice Cove	...	.....	.....	...	37	550	74	5550	2775	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	....	...	1693
Young Cove	...	.....	.....	...	25	300	50	4000	2000	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	....	...	1122
Delap's Cove	11	220	5500	44	55	1650	110	6000	3000	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	....	...	10000
North and South Basin.	3	60	1300	15	38	900	76	3800	1900	19	8000	...	.....	...	...	....	...	600
Annapolis River	...	.....	.....	...	4	40	8	400	200	2	200	...	500	...	...	....	...	100
Round Hill	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	10	500	250	...	.....	...	2000	...	...	....	...	.....
Totals	18	324	7425	72	243	5176	496	38490	19245	24	8700	...	9500	...	...	3	...	21515
Antigonish.																		
Arisaig	...	.....	.....	...	58	750	125	4300	5200	...	.....	...	12700	...	...	120	...	90
Antigonish	...	.....	.....	...	25	400	55	3000	5000	...	.....	...	10100	...	...	40	...	20
Morristown	...	.....	.....	...	50	950	100	4000	6500	...	.....	...	10400	...	...	250	...	190
Tracadie	...	....	.....	...	55	1000	120	3400	5600	...	.....	...	6505	...	...	274	...	400
Totals	...	.....	.....	...	188	3100	400	14700	22300	...	.....	...	39705	...	...	684	...	700

the Fisheries, Quantity and Value of Fishing Materials, Kinds and Quantities of Province of Nova Scotia, for the Year 1882.

Kinds of Fish.																Fish Products.			Value.
Herrings, frozen, per 100.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	
																				$ cts.
2500	200	...	50	...	10	50	.....	600	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	1	100	...	100	4,988 50
.....	1600	...	75	...	10	100	100	1500	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	1	100	...	100	14,778 75
.....	.....	...	30	...	30	40	45	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	...	100	...	100	8,645 00
2000	.....	...	100	...	100	100	50	500	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	2	300	...	400	11,505 00
4000	.....	...	40	...	10	200	200	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	...	250	...	200	10,439 50
9000	.....	...	70	...	5	30	300	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	...	105	...	200	10,176 25
10000	.....	..	2000	...	500	2000	2000	5000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	...	7000	...	600	73,900 00
.....	29500	...	100	...	250	350	100	1000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	...	700	...	700	13,515 00
.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	1000	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	...	.....	...	50	600 00
.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	300 00
					Hake Sounds, 2,820 lbs., at 60 cts.; Smoked Haddies, 1,500 dozen, at $1.															3,192 00
27500	31300	...	2465	...	915	2870	2795	8600	5	1000	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	4	8655	...	2450	152,040 00
.....	.....	...	100	...	.....	360	50	.....	...	1200	.....	2000	.....	....	76000	...	300	...	.....	17,112 00
.....	.....	...	10	...	.....	60	5	.....	...	.....	2400	7000	80	50	.....	...	150	...	.....	3,796 50
.....	.....	3	113	...	.....	220	50	.....	...	900	.....	1500	.....	.....	80000	...	200	...	.....	18,531 25
.....	.....	20	175	...	.....	200	30	.....	...	.....	2000	4800	27	180	78000	...	90	...	.....	19,894 00
.....	.....	23	398	...	.....	840	135	.....	...	2100	4400	15300	107	230	234000	...	740	...	.....	59,333 75

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.										
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.								
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
Cape Breton.			$			$			$									
Albert Bridge to Wadden's Cove.	...	.....	.....	...	53	804	98	4080	1648	.....	.....	9	2170	...	...	7	...	1525
South Head, Cow Bay, to Long Beach	1	16	400	4	40	500	80	3260	1400	.....	.....	6	400	...	...	15	...	980
Big Glace Bay to Lingan and Barachois	2	28	900	7	69	800	143	4160	1619	.....	.....	...	400	...	...	.....	...	916
Low Point to Coxheath	...	.....	.....	...	105	1242	194	6080	2276	.....	.....	...	1000	...	...	.....	...	800
North-West Brook to Black Brook	...	.....	.....	...	9	210	39	392	138	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	33
North of East Bay	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
Long Island	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
George's River	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
Little Bras d'Or	6	120	1680	42	8	160	16	680	374	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	4	...	500
Point Aconi	...	.....	.....	...	6	120	12	240	132	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	200
Mill Pond	...	.....	.....	...	2	40	4	80	44	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	200
Fife's Mill	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
Little Pond	...	.....	.....	...	3	60	6	120	66	.....	.....	...	80	...	...	.....	...	150
Big Pond	...	.....	.....	...	4	80	8	160	88	.....	.....	...	150	...	...	.....	...	150
Lloyd's Cove	...	.....	.....	...	2	40	4	80	44	.....	.....	...	50	...	...	.....	...	50
North Bar	2	30	300	8	2	40	4	200	110	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	200
North-West Arm	...	.....	.....	...	8	80	16	320	176	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	200
Leeche's Creek	...	.....	.....	...	2	40	4	80	44	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	100
Ball's Bridge	...	.....	.....	...	4	80	8	160	88	.....	.....	...	50	...	...	.....	...	100
Black Brook	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
Horn's Mill	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
Gabarus to Louisburg	1	30	1000	7	147	7210	440	11700	2260	700	700	2	400	...	...	580	...	2850
Big and Little Loraine	...	.....	.....	...	58	2900	178	8520	4210	.....	.....	13	.....	...	...	210	...	1850
Baulin	...	.....	.....	...	9	450	30	1000	500	.....	.....	12	.....	...	...	30	...	315
Main-à-Dieu and Scatterie	...	.....	.....	...	76	3040	170	4660	2330	.....	.....	10	.....	...	...	170	...	4660
Mira Bay and Chatelone	...	.....	.....	...	61	2440	130	4200	2100	.....	.....	25	.....	...	...	.....	...	3050
Grand Mira and Lewis' Bay	...	.....	.....	...	27	780	60	660	230	.....	.....	...	500	...	...	.....	...	270
Belfry	...	.....	.....	...	10	500	30	800	400	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	140
East Bay and Big Pond	...	...	.....	...	15	200	20	400	200	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	100
Totals	12	224	4280	68	720	21816	1694	52052	20477	700	700	77	5200	...	...	1016	...	19339

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																	Fish Products.			Value.
Herring, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, Cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	
																				$ cts.
...	....	22	1462	.....	...	22	124	200	10	20	900	1600	30	20	.....	...	742	5	103	14,625 00
...	....	.....	1290	.....	...	.....	100	300	...	...	.....	300	5	...	.....	...	645	5	93	10,674 25
...	....	....	566	.....	...	.....	20	800	...	...	500	3100	28	...	.....	...	235	5	43	6,964 75
...	120	3	362	.....	...	.....	....	.....	...	...	300	3600	17	...	.....	...	186	19	25	5,735 90
...	....	92	120	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	1600	3600	9	...	.....	...	60	...	8	1,446 00
...	....	....		.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	400	.....	9	15	.....	...	.....	...	.....	150 00
...	....	....	75	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	100	.....	.....	8	.....	...	19	...	.....	361 10
...	....	....	50	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	60	.....	7	...	.....	...	13	...	.....	287 55
...	....	....	1450	.....	...	.....	50	50	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	363	...	.....	8,616 45
...	....	....	300	.....	...	.....	30	80	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	75	...	.....	2,233 55
...	....	....	150	.....	...	.....	15	100	...	...	160	.....	.....	...	.....	...	38	...	.....	1,530 30
...	....	....		.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	150	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	49 00
...	....	10	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	29	...	.....	1,203 35
...	....	....	120	.....	...	.....	5	.....	...	...	.....	.....	5	...	.....	...	27	...	.....	1,122 05
...	....	....	100	.....	...	.....	6	.....	...	...	.....	.....	4	...	.....	...	13	...	.....	449 45
...	....	....	50	.....	...	.....	6	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	50	...	.....	1,682 50
...	....	....	200	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	13	...	.....	1,020 95
...	....	....	50	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	462 60
...	....	8	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	60	.....	3	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	723 30
...	....	5	60	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	80	.....	4	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	48 00
...	....	....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	800	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	88 80
...	....	....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	280	1200	.....	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	
...	....	....	9240	10	...	100	1090	1700	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	36000	...	4780	...	.....	69,404 00
																	2100	...	.....	29,111 00
...	....	....	3920	.....	...	.....	370	1600	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	320	...	.....	4,611 00
...	....	....	540	.....	...	.....	100	300	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...				
																	2660	...	.....	44,739 00
...	....	....	5120	.....	...	.....	200	1000	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...				
																	1720	...	.....	28,098 00
...	....	....	3300	.....	...	.....	100	500	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...				
...	....	20	480	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	2	..	500	5000	5	...	.....	...	240	...	.....	3,822 00
...	....	....	280	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	2000	.....	...	.....	...	140	...	.....	1,961 00
...	....	.....	100	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	300	500	5	10	.....	...	60	...	.....	987 00
				Home consumption.....																6,434 00
				Fish used for bait, 1,280 barrels, at $3.00; Capelin, 400 barrels, at $1.50																4,440 00
...	120	160	29385	10	...	122	2216	6630	12	20	5390	21700	131	53	36000	...	14528	34	272	253,081 85

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Vessels and

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.											
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.		Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.							
Colchester.			$			$			$		$							
Mass Town	...	.....	.....	...	13	390	26	3250	975	.....	.....	5	7000	...	...	.....	...	.....
Debert	...	.....	.....	...	2	60	4	500	150	.....	.....	2	600	...	...	.....	...	.....
Little Dyke	...	.....	.....	...	9	300	18	2250	630	.....	.....	4	2200	...	...	.....	...	.....
Great Village	...	.....	.....	...	2	80	4	550	175	.....	.....	2	700	...	...	.....	...	.....
Great Village Point	...	.....	.....	...	5	160	10	1500	370	.....	.....	5	1250	...	...	.....	...	.....
Highland Village	...	.....	.....	...	4	120	9	1200	280	1	150	4	1020	...	...	.....	...	.....
Portapique	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	2	300	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
Five Houses	...	.....	.....	...	7	275	17	2100	560	3	400	6	1225	...	...	.....	...	.....
Birch Hill	...	.....	.....	...	3	120	8	900	240	2	600	2	500	...	...	.....	...	.....
Bass River	...	.....	.....	...	6	240	13	2100	600	1	200	4	2400	...	...	.....	...	.....
Little Bass River	...	.....	.....	...	8	400	18	2800	800	1	150	3	3000	...	...	.....	...	.....
Upper Economy	...	.....	.....	...	21	840	50	7350	1680	5	1500	5	7500	...	...	.....	...	25
Economy Point	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	6	3000	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	25
Central Economy	...	.....	.....	...	9	225	23	2250	540	5	2500	...	200	...	...	.....	...	20
Lower Economy	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	3	300	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	50
Five Islands	...	.....	.....	...	7	210	18	.....	250	5	750	...	500	...	...	.....	...	40
Clifton	...	.....	.....	...	4	90	8	1050	375	.....	.....	...	350	...	...	.....	...	.....
Black Rock	...	.....	.....	...	3	120	6	1050	230	.....	.....	...	125	...	...	.....	...	.....
Princeport	...	.....	.....	...	3	120	6	750	150	.....	.....	...	100	...	...	.....	...	.....
Tatamagouche	...	.....	.....	...	20	500	30	200	100	.....	.....	...	100	...	...	.....	...	20
Lower Stewiacke	...	.....	.....	...	12	60	12	120	84	.....	.....	...	1000	...	...	.....	...	.....
Forest Glen	...	.....	.....	...	5	25	5	50	38	.....	.....	...	900	...	...	.....	...	.....
Middle Stewiacke	...	.....	.....	...	5	25	5	40	30	.....	.....	...	600	...	...	.....	...	.....
Totals	...	.....	.....	...	148	4360	301	30010	8257	34	9850	42	31270	...	...	.....	...	180
Cumberland.																		
Fort Lawrence and Amherst	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	18	480	380	.....	.....	...	500	...	...	.....	...	.....
Minudie	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	12	450	350	.....	.....	...	600	...	...	.....	...	.....
Apple River	...	.....	.....	...	1	40	3	100	50	.....	.....	...	300	...	...	.....	...	75
Advocate	...	.....	.....	...	3	120	9	300	150	1	25	...	.....	...	...	10	...	150
Spencer's Island	...	.....	.....	...	4	180	12	300	150	2	50	...	.....	...	...	15	...	200
Port Greville	...	.....	.....	...	3	150	9	.....	.....	6	80	...	200	...	...	.....	...	250
Parrsboro'	...	.....	.....	...	1	40	3	.....	.....	3	60	...	150	...	...	.....	...	100
Two Islands	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	6	250	...	450	...	...	.....	...	200
Tidnish	...	.....	.....	...	9	90	25	450	180	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	75	...	300
Pugwash and River Philip	...	.....	.....	...	15	250	42	700	300	.....	.....	...	1800	...	...	40	...	.....
Wallace	...	.....	.....	...	22	650	55	1200	520	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	25	...	150
Totals	...	.....	.....	...	58	1520	208	3980	2080	18	465	...	4000	...	...	165	...	1425

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																	Fish Products.			Value.
Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues & Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish, Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	$ cts.
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	276	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	3,330 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	440 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	179	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,822 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	45	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	495 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	107	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,118 50
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	93	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	957 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	50	.....	.....	1500	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	490 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	125	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,273 75
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	120	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,065 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	134	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,492 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	187	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,991 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	455	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4,940 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	250	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	2,100 00
...	100	.....	25	..	.....	.....	...	.....	319	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	50	...	.....	2,825 75
...	165	.....	15	...	.....	.....	...	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	10	...	.....	711 50
...	.....	.....	140	...	.....	.....	60	1000	140	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	85	...	.....	2,275 25
...	.....	1	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	36	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	344 50
...	.....	9	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	27	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	270 75
...	.....	2	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	23	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	207 00
...	30	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,000	...	.....	170,000	...	.....	...	.....	26,202 50
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	5	.....	50	3,000	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	373 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	8	.....	100	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	205 00
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	6	.....	80	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	142 80
...	295	12	180	..	.....	.....	60	1000	2675	.....	230	14,500	...	.....	170,000	...	145	...	.....	55,075 30
...	.....	290	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	310	.....	800	.....	...	.....	.....	...	35	...	.....	3,785 75
...	.....	175	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	275	.....	250	7000	...	.....	.....	...	75	...	.....	3,473 75
...	.....	.....	15	...	20	30	...	400	.....	.....	200	.....	...	.....	.....	...	20	...	.....	632 75
...	.....	.....	25	...	25	40	...	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	30	1	.....	1,116 25
...	.....	.....	20	...	30	35	...	1600	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	45	2	.....	1,417 75
...	.....	.....	20	...	25	30	...	1800	.....	.....	100	.....	...	.....	.....	...	55	5	.....	1,532 25
...	.....	.....	10	...	15	20	...	1000	.....	.....	125	.....	...	.....	.....	...	10	1	.....	676 50
...	.....	.....	10	...	16	20	...	300	50	.....	150	.....	...	.....	.....	...	8	2	.....	1,498 20
...	.....	150	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	700	.....	600	...	.....	1,500	...	.....	...	.....	2,853 00
...	.....	200	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	12	2500	1000	1100	35	400	29,000	...	.....	...	.....	7,707 00
...	.....	500	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	300	190,000	...	.....	...	.....	32,250 00
...	.....	1315	100	...	131	175	...	5900	647	3200	2625	8700	35	700	220,500	...	278	11	.....	56,943 20

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DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHERIES.							FISHING MATERIAL.										
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.								
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
Digby.			$			$			$		$							
Digby	25	385	7800	156	15	630	36	1600	1440	15	1100	...	...	...	...	35	...	2500
Broad Cove and Caldwell's Cove.	...	.....	.....	.....	21	1000	50	1650	1660	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	700
Gulliver's Cove	...	.....	.....	.....	12	500	26	400	420	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	420
Shelving Cove	...	.....	.....	.....	11	480	26	400	420	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	400
Centreville	...	.....	.....	.....	38	1490	88	1600	1500	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1100
Sandy Cove and Mink Cove	...	.....	.....	.....	46	1850	115	1756	1720	3	250	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1750
Little River	...	.....	.....	.....	41	1500	95	1600	1680	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1600
St. Mary's Bay	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	450	...	...	...	...	220	...	20
Weymouth	...	.....	.....	.....	31	765	65	350	320	4	250	...	...	...	...	.....	...	550
White's Cove	...	.....	.....	.....	54	1460	118	1630	1610	...	.....	...	...	...	...	20	...	1050
Church Point	...	.....	.....	.....	78	1975	165	1760	1680	...	.....	...	...	...	...	20	...	1650
Meteghan	2	40	400	12	25	1000	55	1630	1410	...	.....	...	...	...	...	80	...	875
Salmon River	4	86	900	24	34	1100	78	1625	1400	...	.....	...	...	...	...	30	...	1160
Westport	37	560	15000	222	25	1050	75	2500	2000	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1828
Freeport	19	275	5300	164	50	2000	112	3400	2700	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1320
Tiverton	8	160	3500	54	35	1050	90	2800	2400	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	...	1000
Totals	95	1506	32900	632	516	17870	1194	24701	22360	31	2050	...	...	...	...	405	...	17923

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																		Fish Products.			Value.
Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewive, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues & Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	$ cts.
...	14000	...	11000	...	150	10500	15000	600	80	...	500	1000	...	...	...	5	12500	27	1150	160,446 00
...	.....	...	600	...	.....	550	900	.....	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	2100	....	800	12,190 00
...	.....	...	480	...	150	500	800	600	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1000	....	390	9,676 00
...	.....	...	850	...	145	850	750	586	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1050	....	20	12,047 66
...	.....	...	3000	...	350	3500	3600	1000	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	8000	....	500	48,735 00
...	.....	...	2500	...	600	3000	3550	1100	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	6800	....	450	47,361 00
...	.....	...	2400	...	100	3100	2500	800	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	4500	....	1000	40,023 00
...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	296	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	100	....	200	4,813 00
...	.....	...	80	...	50	500	460	400	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1250	....	200	7,011 50
...	.....	...	600	...	100	800	900	200	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1550	....	400	14,469 50
...	.....	...	400	...	450	250	800	350	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1700	....	500	15,126 00
...	.....	...	600	...	100	70	550	400	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1600	....	700	10,784 00
...	.....	...	1400	...	400	40	1100	8000	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1800	....	800	18,330 00
...	.....	...	25000	...	75000	35000	28000	25000	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	18	18000	....	1000	610,982 00
...	.....	...	6500	...	3000	4500	6500	35000	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	12000	....	1000	92,305 00
...	.....	...	3500	...	2500	2800	5500	1000	....	...	...	.....	...	...	...	...	4600	130	500	61,925 00
									Fresh Halibut, 185,000 lbs., at 6cts.....											11,100 00
									Fresh Haddock, 75,000 lbs., at 3cts.....											2,250 00
									Smoked Haddies, 4,000 doz., at $1.....											4,000 00
									Canned Haddock, 900 cases, at $6											5,400 00
									Hake Sounds, 58,000 lbs., at 60cts.....											34,800 00
									Fresh Codfish, 10,000 lbs., at 5cts.....											500 00
...	14000	...	58910	...	83095	65960	70910	75036	376	...	500	1000	...	...	...	23	78550	1579610		1,224,274 66

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DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.										
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.								
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoke[1], lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
Guysboro'.			$			$			$		$							
Fisherman's to Coddle's Harbour	1	14	200	3	149	3200	206	11400	5700	3	500	25	.....	.....	96	379	...	3937
From thence to New Harbour.	2	58	1500	16	76	2300	80	10400	5200	...	.....	2	.....	....	...	338	...	1950
Tor Bay and Charlo's Cove.	3	69	2100	22	129	4005	198	14700	7350	...	.....	....	.....	.....	...	490	...	1537
White Head	1	30	500	6	95	2850	190	28000	14000	...	.....	41	.....	.....	...	1150	...	4900
South Shore and Chedabucto Bay	1	25	800	6	143	2145	286	17160	8580	27	4050	5	.....	.....	...	2860	...	715
Canso	8	466	14600	96	160	6400	320	16000	9600	25	3300	35	.....	.....	...	2500	...	1100
Guysboro'	2	100	5500	20	68	1800	96	19200	9600	9	720	40	.....	.....	...	1360	...	680
North Shore	...	.....	.....	....	102	1530	150	16320	8160	3	150	8	.....	.....	...	2000	...	2000
Strait of Canso...	6	216	3000	42	78	1350	116	19200	9600	2	200	....	.....	.....	...	1430	...	3370
Sonora Bay	...	.....	.....	....	24	400	50	1800	600	...	.....	3	2000	800	...	3	...	350
Wine Harbour ...	2	30	300	7	15	250	30	1200	450	3	150	....	200	3000	...	5	...	500
Holland's Harb'r	...	.....	.....	....	10	200	15	800	350	...	.....	....	.....	.....	...	2	...	150
Bickerton Harb'r	...	.....	.....	....	20	500	40	1600	650	...	.....	....	.....	.....	...	20	...	450
Indian Harbour..	...	.....	.....	....	38	400	50	3000	1200	1	400	....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	300
Gegogan Harb'r.	...	.....	.....	....	20	300	40	1000	250	...	.....	....	400	1000	...	2	...	120
Little Liscombe.	...	.....	.....	....	20	400	40	800	300	1	40	....	200	200	...	2	...	50
Spanish Bay and Big Liscombe..	1	30	350	6	22	400	50	1000	400	...	.....	....	.....	.....	...	2	...	300
MarieJoseph Harbour	...	.....	.....	....	45	900	80	1500	700	1	50	2	300	200	...	100	...	200
St. Mary's River.	...	.....	.....	....	20	400	30	1000	350	...	.....	8	8000	500	...	.....	...	.....
Ecum Secum.....	...	.....	.....	....	20	600	60	1200	400	...	.....	....	1600	500	...	50	...	300
Totals.....	27	1038	28850	224	1254	30330	2127	167280	83440	75	9560	169	12700	6200	96	12693	...	22909

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																		Fish Products.			Value.
Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues & Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	
																				$ cts.
...	...	105	2078	2	....	285	328	2850	...	....	800	.....	...	...	110400	....	1765	...	...	49,264 65
...	...	26	1630	3	....	.....	130	3900	...	....	3000	2000	10	...	.....	....	1200	...	...	20,121 50
...	...	25	2300	23	....	126	650	1800	...	....	2000	.....	10	...	91200	....	1150	...	...	38,545 50
...	...	1400	3500	35	....	2100	3500	7000	...	....	800	.....	10	...	133440	....	2800	...	...	94,429 00
...	...	50	2145	15	....	429	1001	700	...	....	.....	.....	2	...	67200	....	1072	...	...	56,798 05
...	...	100	17650	20	160	80	5200	35000	2	....	.....	.....	10	...	230000	....	8300	...	...	166,618 50
...	...	80	1604	.....	....	.....	340	.....	5	....	600	.....	10	...	.....	....	800	...	...	25,933 00
...	...	170	500	5	....	.....	500	.....	...	....	.....	.....	5	...	.....	....	250	...	...	32,917 50
...	...	20	.....	.....	...	.....	200	.....	...	....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	....	.....	...	...	28,560 00
												Squid, 3,300 barrels, at $4.....								13,200 00
...	...	10	350	.....	2	.....	30	200	1	....	.....	1000	...	...	39000	96	150	...	...	13,402 00
...	...	30	300	.....	....	25	5	100	10	....	200	800	...	...	.....	....	200	...	...	4,463 50
...	...	.....	310	.....	....	.....	40	.....	...	....	2000	.....	...	...	.....	....	210	...	...	2,334 00
...	...	.....	500	.....	5	.....	60	.....	...	....	1000	.....	10	...	60000	150	300	...	...	19,697 50
...	...	100	80	.....	....	.....	10	.....	5	....	2000	.....	...	...	.....	....	50	...	...	2,167 50
...	...	5	250	.....	1	.....	10	200	...	....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	....	150	...	...	1,940 50
...	...	200	300	.....	....	.....	10	100	...	....	3000	1000	...	...	130000	330	160	...	...	35,440 00
...	...	30	350	.....	....	.....	20	200	...	....	1000	5000	5	...	.....	....	200	...	...	3,444 50
...	...	.....	2000	2	....	.....	60	1000	...	....	.....	4000	3	...	72000	180	1000	...	...	29,606 00
...	...	50	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	...	200	2000	3000	5	...	.....	....	.....	...	...	1,952 00
...	...	20	1000	.....	....	.....	16	.....	...	....	2000	1000	...	...	.....	....	500	...	...	6,885 00
...	...	2421	36847	105	168	3045	12149	53050	23	200	20400	17800	80	...	933240	756	20257	...	..	647,720 20

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DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.		Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.	Herring, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.									
Halifax.			$			$			$		$									
Ecum Secum to Beaver Harbour	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	1235	77	2900	1450	....	.....	...	.....	600	...	116	...	472	.....	.....
Sober Island to Sheet Harbour	.....	.....	.....	.....	37	1025	62	3100	1550	.....	.....	...	450	49950	...	90	...	411	.....	.....
Mushaboon to Pope's Harbour	4	160	4200	26	49	1622	98	13740	6870	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	608	...	2336	.....	.....
Tangier to Ship Harbour	1	20	300	9	53	1425	95	6640	3320	.....	.....	...	.....	135	...	222	...	1585	.....	.....
West side Ship Harbour to Clam Harbour	3	64	3150	17	49	1103	89	6620	3310	.....	.....	...	.....	1950	...	486	...	1470	.....	.....
East and West Jeddore	5	125	4700	29	46	1457	96	4500	2250	.....	.....	...	.....	1950	...	293	...	980	.....	.....
Musquodoboit Harbour to East Chezzetcook	.....	.....	.....	.....	72	2470	133	6620	3310	.....	.....	...	600	2145	...	146	...	1046	.....	.....
North side West Chezzetcook to Lawrencetown	9	208	6350	50	114	1549	198	23520	11760	.....	.....	...	1500	.....	...	638	...	3648	.....	.....
Cole Harbour to Eastern Passage and Devil's Isl'd	1	15	250	6	61	1134	89	6980	3490	.....	.....	...	2640	.....	...	113	...	1481	.....	.....
North Shore	2	70	1680	14	195	5850	190	10400	3120	46	9200	...	10000	.....	...	2500	...	40	.....	.....
East Margaret's Bay	4	80	1920	24	145	4350	170	10000	3000	63	12200	...	1000	.....	...	1200	...	.....	.....	.....
Indian Harbour	4	60	1440	16	110	3300	90	4200	1260	29	5800	...	5000	.....	...	1400	...	500	.....	.....
Peggy's Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	84	2520	86	15200	4560	65	13000	...	2000	.....	...	800	...	200	.....	.....
Dover	.....	.....	.....	.....	87	2610	103	12500	3750	35	7000	...	10000	.....	...	1400	...	800	.....	.....
Prospect	5	125	3000	30	325	9750	286	55000	16500	78	15600	...	8000	.....	...	1250	...	1500	.....	.....
Terrence Bay	5	130	3290	30	140	4200	130	12700	3810	25	5000	...	500	.....	...	250	...	3500	.....	.....
Pennent	.....	.....	.....	.....	93	2790	98	7600	2280	9	1800	...	1500	.....	...	100	...	100	.....	.....
Sambro	1	20	480	6	124	3720	150	6000	1800	4	800	...	.....	.....	...	300	...	800	.....	.....
Ketch Harbour	61	20	2880	36	170	5100	165	6800	2040	14	2800	...	.....	.....	...	100	...	1500	....	.....
Portuguese Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	105	3150	97	29000	8700	22	4400	...	18000	.....	...	500	...	3000	.....	.....
Herring Cove	14	420	9910	84	160	4800	180	9000	2700	40	8000	...	1400	.....	...	100	...	1500	.....	.....
Ferguson's Cove	1	25	600	6	75	2250	95	1709	510	42	8400	...	.....	.....	...	40	...	300	.....	.....
Totals	65	1642	44150	383	2338	67010	2777	254720	91340	470	94000	...	62590	56730	...	12652	...	27169	.....	.....

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

DISTRICT.	KINDS OF FISH.															FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod, Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	
																			$ cts.
Halifax.																			
Ecum Secum to Beaver Harbour	395	1097	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	1000	700	10	...	307288	...	548	.....	.....	56,021 65
Sober Island to Sheet Harbour	68	649	.....	.....	200	2100	500	...	...	2000	900	8	...	220000	...	1474	.....	.....	55,418 35
Mushaboon to Pope's Harbour	43	1786	.....	.....	323	183	.....	...	...	700	8000	10	...	86400	...	1146	.....	.....	39,274 40
Tangier to Ship Harbour	480	1862	.....	.....	161	66	.....	...	...	400	500	5	...	129600	...	1044	.....	.....	39,425 85
West side Ship Harbour to Clam Harbour	753	1636	.....	... ..	.....	.....	500	...	...	700	600	10	...	85700	...	818	.....	.....	34,582 20
East and West Jeddore	60	3265	.....	.....	138	600	.....	...	...	1000	650	13	...	....	...	2001	.....	.....	25,358 40
Musquodoboit Harbour to East Chezzetcook	258	2848	.....	.....	900	111	360	5	...	1900	4900	20	...	134400	...	1929	.....	.....	44,739 70
North side West Chezzetcook to Lawrencetown	1395	3248	... ..	11	79	74	.....	...	...	1000	110000	10	...	.....	...	1786	.....	.....	49,013 90
Cole Harbour to Eastern Passage and Devil's Isl'd	320	1996	.....	.....	229	148	800	...	...	900	1150	10	...	.....	...	1186	.....	.....	19,564 40
North Shore	100	800	20	.....	1200	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	50	...	.....	...	1200	.....	.....	36,030 00
East Margaret's Bay	50	300	7	.....	400	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	420	.....	.....	15,347 00
Indian Cove	50	1000	20	.....	1000	100	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	70000	...	1200	.....	.....	36,470 00
Peggy's Cove	.....	300	5	.....	200	500	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	300	.....	.....	13,055 00
Dover	100	850	29	.....	2050	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	1740	.....	.....	31,221 50
Prospect	.....	2500	45	.....	2000	.....	5000	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	86000	...	2700	.....	.....	52,595 00
Terrence Bay	.....	3000	55	.....	2500	.....	35000	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	3300	.....	.....	42,705 00
Pennent	150	1000	13	.....	300	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	780	.....	.....	8,123 00
Sambro	10	3000	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	7	...	82000	...	1800	.....	.....	32,733 00
Ketch Harbor	100	2000	45	.....	2500	.....	5000	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	2700	.....	.....	27,020 00
Portuguese Cove	.....	600	12	.....	600	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	720	.....	.....	24,902 00
Herring Cove	.....	4000	65	.....	2500	.....	168000	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	3900	.....	.....	46,030 00
Ferguson's Cove	.....	200	6	.....	400	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	420	.....	....	4,165 00
										Fresh fish sold in Halifax fish market								.....	30,000 00
																			....
Totals	4332	57937	352	11	17680	3882	215160	5	...	9600	126500	153	...	1201388	...	33032	.....	.....	763,795 35

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.											
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
Hants.			$			$			$		$							
Maitland	...	.....	.....	...	32	710	52	2150	615	.....	.....	...	2250	...	...	...	...	.....
Upper Selma	...	.....	.....	...	3	100	6	800	200	.....	.....	...	400	...	...	...	...	.....
Lower Selma	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	120	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
Noël	...	.....	.....	...	3	130	6	850	175	1	400	...	100	...	...	...	...	.....
Moose Brook	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	100	...	.....	...	...	...	..	....
Temicappe	...	.....	.....	...	9	325	18	2700	570	1	75	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
Walton	...	.....	.....	...	11	375	22	3200	825	2	80	...	.....	...	...	...	...	46
Shubenacadie	...	.....	.....	...	85	510	85	1026	477	.....	.....	..	159	...	...	...	...	.....
West Hants	...	.....	.....	...	15	950	25	3000	500	.....	.....	2	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
Total	...	.....	.....	...	158	3160	214	13726	3362	6	775	2	2900	...	...	...	...	46

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																	Fish Products.			Value.
Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	
																				$ cts.
.....	.....	565	10	.....	.....	.....	9	...	95	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	8	.....	.....	3,436 70
.....	.....	.....	11	.....	.....	.....	7	...	80	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	7	.....	.....	775 80
.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	25	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	217 00
.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	15	...	140	2000	....	.....	...	...	...	...	16	.....	.....	1,402 90
.....	.....	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	7	...	28	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	7	.....	.....	291 30
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	270	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2,160 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	330	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2,824 00
.....	.....	525	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	12	520	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2,249 70
1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	650	.....	.....	4500	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5,950 00
1000	.....	1090	54	.....	.....	.....	38	...	1630	2520	.....	4500	...	...	...	...	38	.....	.....	19,307 40

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DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.										
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.	Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.
Inverness.			$			$			$											
Port Hawkesbury	5	235	4700	40	18	800	100	9000	3600	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	2300	...	6000	.....	.....
Port Hastings	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	200	50	1100	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	...	400	.....	.....
Low Point	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	120	20	700	280	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	...	50	.....	.....
Creignish	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	200	40	1250	500	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	80	...	60	.....	.....
Long Point	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	270	36	1800	720	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	...	100	.....	.....
Judique	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	210	30	1400	700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	...	200	.....	.....
Little Judique	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	550	170	6000	2800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	...	300	.....	.....
Port Hood	.....	.....	.....	.....	130	4000	380	17000	5100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	...	800	.....	.....
Mabou	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	950	170	1800	750	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	1000	60	...	350	.....	.....
Whycocomagh	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	140	23	800	250	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	125	.....	.....
Boom	.....	.....	.....	....	15	200	45	1100	400	.....	.....	....	300	.....	.....	.....	...	500	.....	.....
Malagawatch	1	15	200	4	25	150	87	1300	400	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	750	.....	.....
Basin River Dennis	1	16	300	5	10	80	55	300	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	80	.....	.....
River Dennis	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	2	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
North Mountain	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	400	50	1500	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	400	.....	.....
West Bay	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	150	50	700	350	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	350	.....	.....
River Inhabitants	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	32	20	200	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Delaney's Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	200	15	400	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	...	80	.....	.....
Doucett's Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	215	16	310	180	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64	...	118	.....	.....
East Margaree Harbour	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	920	48	1840	1195	.....	.....	46	.....	.....	.....	153	...	342	.....	.....
West Margaree Harbour	4	55	1800	20	4	160	12	1200	865	.....	.....	93	.....	.....	.....	257	...	243	.....	.....
Margaree Forks	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	10	...	20	.....	.....
Margaree River	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	470	180	68	906	.....	1290	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Margaree Island	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	112	42	280	98	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	460	...	115	.....	.....
Broad Cove Marsh	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	140	42	350	164	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	395	...	230	.....	.....
Port Bann	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	160	24	640	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	...	198	.....	.....

Broad Cove					10	8	20									200	...	450		
Coal Mines					3	95	6	180	120							95	...	80		
Lake Outlet					5	40	10										...			
Trout River																f.	...			
Cheticamp Point	4	103	14 0	25	35	2800	105	1710	695			10				150	...			
Eastern Harbour	2	60	600	6	85	4900	255	3600	1550				150			644	...			
Black Rock					22	1200	66	900	400				15			150	...			
Pleasant Bay					20	1000	50	950	450							150	...			
Mill Brook					7	640	21	150	130							200	...			
Big Pond					25	1500	75	1200	500							110	...	85		
Friar Head					8	640	24	480	190							300	...	200		
Remar Cove					3	180	9	180	72							36	...	50		
Doucett					2	160	6	120	50							10	...	18		
North-East Margaree																10	...	12		
													1500							
Total	17	484	9000	100	743	23624	2188	60910	24019	68	906	202	3255		1000	6438	...	12706		

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DISTRICT.	KINDS OF FISH.															FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod, Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, cans.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish, used as manure, barrels.	
Inverness—Continued.																			$ cts.
Port Hawkesbury	500	800	40	.....	.....	300	.....	6	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	5000	.....	.....	57,508 00
Port Hastings	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	...	.....	600	3000	25	.....	.....	...	40	.....	.....	2,654 50
Low Point	.....	60	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	20	.....	.....	590 00
Creignish	3	50	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	20	.....	.....	1,342 50
Long Point	.....	120	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	...	.....	500	4000	2	.....	.....	...	130	.....	.....	2,187 50
Judique	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	...	.....	400	5000	8	.....	.....	...	120	.....	.....	2,251 50
Little Judique	.....	320	10	.....	350	50	120	...	100	700	2000	16	.....	.....	...	300	20	.....	5,844 20
Port Hood	.....	3500	50	.....	1500	150	.....	...	.....	100	2000	10	.....	104988	...	1600	200	.....	47,704 20
Mabou	.....	600	15	.....	100	150	500	...	.....	200	2000	10	2	49195	...	400	50	.....	14,402 25
Whycocomagh	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	4000	2000	40	200	.....	...	80	.....	.....	3,997 00
Boom	.....	400	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1000	1500	30	150	.....	...	150	.....	.....	4,922 50
Malagawatch	.....	550	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1000	4000	80	200	.....	...	150	.....	.....	7,115 00
Basin River Dennis	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	300	200	30	50	.....	...	10	.....	.....	904 00
River Dennis	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	500	1000	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	90 00
North Mountain	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	100	200	25	.....	.....	...	40	.....	.....	3,994 00
West Bay	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	400	600	20	.....	.....	...	50	.....	.....	2,947 50
River Inhabitants	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	3000	2000	30	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	570 00
Delaney's Cove	.....	530	.....	.....	.....	82	300	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	230	.....	.....	3,487 00
Doucett's Cove	.....	435	.....	.....	.....	75	265	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	218	.....	.....	3,380 85
East Margaree Harbour	25	1605	.....	.....	.....	218	545	...	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	...	642	.....	.....	11,794 25
West Margaree Harbour	10	2832	.....	.....	.....	363	275	...	.....	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	...	1405	.....	.....	19,267 25
Margaree Forks	60	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	40	.....	.....	689 75
Margaree River	175	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1600	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	989 50
Margaree Island	.....	630	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	200	.....	.....	8,217 50
Broad Cove Marsh	.....	510	.....	.....	.....	98	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	176	.....	.....	7,494 90
Port Bann	.....	310	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	120	.....	.....	3,537 50

Broad Cove	....	600	.....	.....	.....	140	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	314	.....	.....	7,044 10
Coal Mines	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	95	.....	.....	2,356 75
Lake Outlet	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	900	.....	75	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	769 00
Trout River	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	8650	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	519 00
Cheticamp Point	.....	7500	.....	.....	60	150	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	2650	.....	.....	35,982 50
Eastern Harbour	.....	6250	.....	.....	80	165	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65000	...	2300	.....	.....	45,127 50
Black Rock	.....	1200	.....	.....	80	75	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	700	.....	.....	7,599 75
Pleasant Bay	.....	1100	.....	.....	75	60	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	850	.....	.....	7,700 00
Mill Brook	.....	330	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	90	.....	.....	2,901 00
Big Pond	.....	1250	.....	.....	100	75	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	800	.....	.....	10,245 00
Friar Head	.....	1200	.....	.....	40	125	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	500	.....	.....	6,562 50
Remar Cove	.....	150	.....	.....	25	35	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	150	.....	.....	1,117 00
Doucett	.....	20	.....	.....	20	25	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	20	.....	.....	403 50
North-East Margaree	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	2500	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	375 00
Total	783	34547	145	.....	2430	2703	2005	6	100	26950	29500	415	602	219183	...	19610	270	.....	346,585 75

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	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.								
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
Kings.			$			$			$		$							
Baxter's Harbor	1	10	200	.....	7	112	18	600	200	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
Hall's Harbor	3	30	1000	.....	18	288	40	1440	550	1	200	...	10000	...	...	...	...	3000
Black Rock	...	.....	.....	.....	6	120	20	300	150	2	300	...	.....	...	...	...	...	250
Harborville	4	40	800	.....	10	250	55	2500	400	.....	.....	...	2000	...	...	...	...	3500
Morden Bay	...	.....	.....	.....	5	100	20	.....	.....	2	200	...	200	...	...	...	...	600
Scot's Bay	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	40	2000	800	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1500
Medford and Pereaux	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	40	.....	.....	10	800	...	.....	...	...	...	...	160
Long and Little Islands	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	30	4000	1000	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
Starr's Point	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	35	4000	850	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
Porter's Point	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	16	1300	200	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
Gaspereaux	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	2000	...	...	...	...	.....
Aylesford	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	2700	...	...	...	...	.....
Kentville	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
Totals	8	80	2000	.....	46	870	314	16140	4150	15	1500	...	16900	...	...	...	...	9010

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																	Fish Products.			Value.
Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	
																				$ cts.
...	.....	...	300	.....	.....	.....	220	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	200	.....	50	2,200 00
...	.....	...	300	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	500	.....	350	17,025 00
	750	...	150	.....	150	.....	50	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	200	.....	100	2,705 00
	100,000	...	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	200	.....	500	40,530 00
...	.....	...	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	50	.....	50	2,700 00
	8,640	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	89	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	200	8,972 00
...	4,400	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	50	2,261 00
...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	510	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	70	4,115 00
...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	30	1,615 00
...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	10	405 00
...	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1050	5000	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	695 00
...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	405 00
...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	2000	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	120 00
...	113,790	8	1000	.....	150	.....	770	.....	911	...	1050	7000	...	...	...	...	1150	.....	1410	83,748 00

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DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.							
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels	Herring, smoked, in boxes.
Lunenburg.			$			$			$		$								
Chester	2	80	2000	20	100	1200	200	1900	1300	13	2600	.....	82000	2000	.....	340	.....	50	.....
Martin's River	12	480	13000	180	60	600	120	1700	1000	4	800	.....	800	200	.....	40	.....	30	.....
Fox Point	2	80	2000	26	40	600	80	1000	700	13	2600	.....	153	.....	.....	250	.....	20	.....
Mill Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	700	60	1800	2000	10	2000	.....	480	.....	.....	400	.....	40	.....
Lodge	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	300	40	1600	850	12	2500	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	.....
North-West Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	1000	120	1000	700	11	2200	.....	640	.....	.....	950	.....	40	.....
Ashpotaghan	1	25	700	5	40	600	80	1400	800	13	2600	.....	800	.....	.....	750	.....	10	.....
Sandy Beaches	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	240	40	800	1700	14	2800	.....	400	80	.....	500	.....	10	.....
Blandford	1	25	800	10	65	975	145	8000	4000	11	2200	.....	1600	.....	.....	1200	.....	40	.....
Little Tancook	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	500	50	1300	850	6	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	350	.....	150	.....
Big Tancook	2	40	1200	16	125	2500	175	2000	1200	12	2500	.....	800	.....	.....	1500	..	250	.....
Deep Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	300	40	400	300	7	1400	.....	500	100	.....	700	.....	.....	.....
Iron Bound	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	300	40	400	300	4	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	200	.....
										Trap.									
Lunenburg to Cross Island	60	3600	206200	600	400	14000	700	11000	10000	1	800	.....	50	100	.....	910	.....	2800	.....
Mahone Bay to Martin's Island	25	1400	70000	250	200	7000	450	5000	5500	.....	.....	.....	200	150	.....	350	.....	3000	.....
LaHave River to Iron Bound Island	32	1920	95000	260	405	12000	700	10000	11000	.....	.....	.....	250	200	.....	1100	.....	3200	.....
West Side LaHave to Cape LaHave	38	1890	95060	300	450	13500	900	11000	12000	.....	.....	.....	200	150	.....	1350	.....	4600	.....
Totals	175	9540	485960	1667	2060	56315	3940	60300	54200	131	27400	.....	88873	2980	.....	11590	.....	14440	.....

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued*.

DISTRICT.	KINDS OF FISH.															FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as Manure, barrels.	
Lunenburg.																			
Chester	850	1500	10	20	200	50	.....	.....	.....	2500	6000	50	.....	160000	.....	800	.....	.....	52,470 00
Martin's River	30	3000	20	.....	100	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	10	.....	.....	.....	1700	.....	.....	16,305 00
Fox Point	10	750	15	.....	800	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	875	.....	.....	10,004 20
Mill Cove	.....	140	.....	.....	50	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	131	.....	.....	5,332 15
Lodge	10	50	5	.....	30	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	.....	5,801 00
North-West Cove	10	300	.....	.....	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250	.....	.....	11,933 50
Ashpotaghan	20	150	5	.....	100	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	156	.....	.....	9,073 90
Sandy Beaches	.....	50	.....	.....	100	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88	.....	.....	5,819 20
Blandford	20	400	25	.....	300	200	2000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	450	.....	.....	16,517 50
Little Tancook	.....	150	.....	.....	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	176	.....	.....	5,551 90
Big Tancook	5	500	.....	.....	600	40	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	570	.....	.....	20,935 50
Deep Cove	20	10	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	.....	7,292 90
Iron Bound	.....	100	.....	.....	150	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	84	.....	.....	5,871 10
Lunenburg to Cross Island	.....	69600	65	5900	5600	12600	72000	.....	.....	1800	1800	90	.....	.....	5	61700	54	450	447,613 50
Mahone Bay to Martin's Island	20	23808	22	2070	1400	3500	28000	.....	.....	3000	2000	25	.....	.....	2	20900	30	200	214,685 50
LaHave River to Iron Bound Island	30	33833	30	3000	2300	5630	40000	.....	.....	1500	1500	50	.....	.....	4	31590	25	250	173,566 25
West Side LaHave to Cape LaHave	25	41000	40	3300	3000	6830	35000	.....	.....	3000	3500	70	.....	12600	5	40480	60	300	285,109 50
Totals	1050	175341	237	14290	14950	29824	178000	.....	.....	11800	15300	295	.....	172600	16	160056	169	1200	1,293,882 60

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DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.										
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.								
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, brls.	Salmon, in ice, fresh, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, brls.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, brls.
Pictou.			$			$			$	Lobster traps	$							
Pictou Island	...	.....	.....	.....	30	480	37	300	150	5000	4000	...	.....	...	...	30	...	150
Chance Harbour	...	.....	.....	.....	12	240	17	1500	2220	.....	.....	...	12000	...	...	.....	...	6
Little Harbour	...	.....	.....	.....	10	200	20	1260	1800	.....	.....	...	10480	...	...	.....	...	20
Big Island	...	.....	.....	.....	8	128	16	1740	2400	.....	.....	...	35000	...	...	8	...	12
North Beach	...	.....	.....	.....	3	48	5	500	620	.....	.....	...	8000	...	...	.....	...	.....
Ponds	...	.....	.....	.....	17	340	30	1230	1200	1600	1280	...	12600	...	...	8	...	10
Lismore	...	.....	.....	.....	5	90	7	900	1340	.....	.....	...	9750	...	...	6	...	.....
Merigonish	...	.....	.....	.....	12	240	24	.....	.....	1500	1200	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
Pictou	...	.....	.....	.....	25	370	52	810	675	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	45	...	80
Toney River	...	.....	.....	.....	20	500	40	400	240	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	25	...	200
North Shore	...	.....	.....	.....	18	480	36	600	200	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	15	...	160
Cape and RiverJohn	...	.....	.....	.....	10	200	14	125	80	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	100
Carribou	...	.....	.....	.....	22	510	50	520	250	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	20	...	300
Totals	...	.....	.....	.....	192	3826	348	9885	11175	8100	6480	...	87830	...	...	157	...	1038
Queen's.																		
Mill Village	...	.....	.....	.....	61	429	67	1166	620	.....	.....	...	6238	...	...	.....	...	.....
Ponhook	...	.....	.....	.....	5	50	22	68	91	.....	.....	...	2150	...	...	.....	...	.....
Liverpool	8	295	8350	69	70	1800	150	1300	750	.....	.....	...	6000	...	...	.....	...	131
Port Medway	13	401	32200	149	24	1929	76	1494	892	.....	.....	...	10294	...	...	69	...	79
Port Mouton	3	100	2000	15	60	2600	95	5500	3000	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	10	...	100
Port Jolly	1	27	1000	8	27	952	41	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....
Port Lebert	1	30	1000	3	10	320	14	60	36	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	13
Hant's Point	1	15	500	5	16	708	32	640	321	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	4	...	15
White Point	...	.....	.....	.....	10	150	20	440	220	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	6	...	12
Sommerville	...	.....	.....	.....	11	140	16	160	75	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	2	...	15
Western Head	...	.....	.....	.....	36	700	45	1540	1400	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	7	...	170
Eagle Head	...	.....	.....	.....	15	300	30	450	250	.....	.....	...	500	...	...	.....	...	40
Blueberry	...	.....	.....	.....	23	230	50	1350	600	.....	.....	...	100	...	...	.....	...	50
Coffin Island	...	.....	.....	.....	35	700	60	4500	2000	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	300
Pudding Pan	...	.....	.....	.....	15	180	30	720	320	.....	.....	...	100	...	...	.....	...	30
Milton	...	.....	.....	.....	15	150	15	270	135	.....	.....	...	1800	...	...	.....	...	.....
Moose Harbour	...	.....	.....	.....	3	96	8	340	136	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	30
Black Point	...	.....	.....	.....	14	210	20	600	250	.....	.....	...	300	...	...	.....	...	50
Brooklyn	4	158	4100	46	25	500	50	1800	500	.....	.....	...	2000	...	...	.....	...	40
Beach Meadows	1	20	500	4	16	320	40	2880	1280	.....	.....	...	500	...	...	.....	...	80
Fish Traps	...	.....	1400	.....	8	190	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	60	...	550
													Clams, 275 brls., at $5,					
Totals	32	1046	51050	299	499	12654	853	25278	12876	.....	.....	...	29982	...	...	158	...	1705

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KINDS OF FISH.																	FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, brls.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, brls.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, brls.	Oysters, brls.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	$ cts.
...	.....	.....	30	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	350000	...	5	...	.....	53,530 75
...	.....	.....	8	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	2	...	.....	1,859 30
...	.....	.....	15	.....	...	8	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	4	...	....	1,746 35
...	.....	.....	6	.....	...	10	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	2	...	.....	...	3	...	.....	5,458 45
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,200 00
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	25	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	3	...	60000	...	5	...	.....	11,127 75
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	6	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	1	...	.....	1,544 15
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	1000	6	...	75000	...	.....	...	.....	11,364 00
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	90	...	.....	1,631 00
...	.....	.....	90	.....	...	120	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	20000	...	40	...	.....	4,499 75
...	.....	.....	75	.....	...	30	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	11000	...	.....	...	.....	2,782 50
...	.....	.....	60	.....	...	25	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	689 25
...	.....	.....	45	.....	...	10	.....	.....	...	...	50	1000	...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	4,207 50
...	.....	.....	70	.....	...	40	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	40	15000	...	.....	...	.....	
...	.....	.....	399	.....	...	274	.....	.....	...	...	50	2000	11	40	531000	...	150	..	.....	101,640 75
...	.....	2470	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	7400	46	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	11,673 70
...	.....	275	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	3	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,449 50
...	.....	.....	3070	.....	...	43	45	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	1870	...	.....	15,995 00
...	.....	42	5190	.....	...	2469	97	2500	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	5721	...	.....	37,625 25
...	.....	4	3000	8	10	6	31	10000	...	...	...	.....	...	...	53750	...	3000	40	.....	24,699 00
...	.....	23	510	1	20	3	10	3500	...	...	...	.....	10	...	.....	...	510	...	.....	3,013 50
...	.....	.....	100	1	8	1	4	2000	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	100	...	.....	714 50
...	.....	.....	1200	2	4	2	6	1600	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	1100	50	.....	6,817 00
...	.....	.....	195	.....	5	1	6	1000	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	190	6	.....	1,252 25
...	.....	.....	300	2	4	1	6	1000	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	290	...	.....	1,656 00
...	.....	.....	340	.....	...	25	75	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	440	...	.....	2,831 00
...	.....	.....	60	.....	...	20	25	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	100	...	.....	712 50
...	.....	.....	125	5	...	10	10	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	150	...	.....	948 75
...	.....	.....	900	8	...	300	300	1000	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	1500	...	.....	8,216 00
...	.....	.....	50	.....	...	25	30	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	105	...	.....	608 25
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	...	.....	270 00
...	.....	.....	50	.....	...	40	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	100	...	.....	537 50
...	.....	.....	150	.....	...	60	60	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	25000	...	250	...	.....	5,215 00
...	.....	15	2450	5	...	100	100	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	2600	...	50	13,382 50
...	.....	.....	1100	10	...	200	200	500	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	1500	...	.....	7,545 00
...	.....	.....	180	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	90	...	.....	3,623 50
Albicores, 60 brls., at $5; Lobsters, in shell, 33,000, at $25 per M																...	.....	...	.....	2,500 00
...	.....	2829	18970	42	51	3306	1005	23100	...	...	...	7400	59	...	78750	...	19616	96	50	151,285 70

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DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.									
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.							
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.
Richmond.			$			$			$		$						
Fourchu	1	72	2000	7	38	1710	114	2280	456	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	76	...
Framboise	...	.....	.....	.....	7	196	20	1680	420	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	56	...
St. Esprit	...	.....	.....	.....	7	210	16	2240	560	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	105	...
Larcheveque	...	.....	.....	.....	13	442	31	4160	1170	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	117	...
Grand River	...	.....	.....	.....	26	937	55	7280	1820	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	312	...
Point Micheau	...	.....	.....	.....	19	342	21	2400	960	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	225	...
L'Ardoise	6	139	3600	40	240	3900	525	20000	7300	...	...	32	.....	...	.....	1400	...
St. Peters' Island	2	64	1000	15	37	500	54	3380	1620	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	215	...
St. Peters	4	120	3170	30	50	750	100	8500	2100	...	...	3	.....	...	.....	1000	...
River Bourgeois	19	606	13000	123	4	80	8	850	300	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	75	...
Arichat	4	95	400	25	70	1400	120	5000	2200	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	50	...
Arichat West	...	.....	.....	.....	90	1550	200	5500	2400	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	80	...
Petit de Grat	2	100	200	14	80	1500	150	6000	2100	...	...	5	100	...	.....	300	...
Cape Hogan	...	.....	.....	.....	40	800	60	3000	1100	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	150	...
Port Royal	...	.....	.....	.....	12	240	24	800	400	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	50	...
D'Escousse	13	500	7500	110	12	400	22	2000	1000	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	50	...
Polimand	6	240	2400	50	5	100	10	1000	500	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	20	...
Port Richmond	4	130	2800	30	2	40	4	750	500	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	30	...
Cape Le Rond	2	60	900	12	15	200	20	3000	1500	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	200	...
Rocky Bay	...	.....	.....	.....	30	900	60	6000	3000	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	150	...
Little Anse	...	.....	.....	.....	31	930	62	4000	2000	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	200	...
Gros Nez	...	.....	.....	.....	30	950	60	2500	1000	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	350	...
River Inhabitants	3	90	1900	15	70	1300	140	6000	2600	...	...	10	.....	...	.....	100	...
Black River	...	.....	.....	.....	18	96	18	800	400	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...
Martinique and Lennox Passage	...	.....	.....	.....	4	100	8	700	300	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...
Lower D'Escousse	...	.....	.....	.....	40	600	60	8000	4000	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	90	...
Totals	66	2216	38870	471	990	20173	1962	107820	41706	...	...	50	100	...	.....	5401	...

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																		Fish Products.			Value.
Herring, barrels.	Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, brls.	
																					$ cts.
152	...	...	.....	1900	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	50000	16	1140	...	...	18,324 00
210	...	...	.....	35	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	21	...	...	1,562 40
350	...	...	.....	84	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	56	...	...	2,843 40
546	...	...	.....	78	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	52	...	...	3,719 30
1170	...	...	.....	104	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	52	...	...	8,275 80
350	...	...	8	250	3	...	6	50	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	150	...	...	5,059 00
1600	...	...	50	3800	.....	...	.....	2200	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	3000	..	...	46,880 00
340	...	...	15	350	.....	...	.....	320	...	...	...	.....	.....	3	...	85000	25	150	...	...	20,052 00
300	...	...	.....	1300	.....	...	.....	100	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	550	...	...	17,477 50
100	...	...	15	1800	10	...	.....	100	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	1000	...	...	9,930 00
																					8,000 00
					Amount added for home consumption																
1500	...	...	10	5000	.....	...	.....	700	...	...	...	.....	.. .	...	...	110900	...	1100	...	...	47,590 00
1000	...	...	100	400	.....	...	.....	1400	...	...	...	.....	2000	10	...	.....	...	150	...	...	12,107 50
1100	...	...	20	3000	.....	...	100	2500	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	1200	...	...	30,200 00
960	...	...	10	750	.....	..	50	1300	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	250	...	...	13,455 00
340	...	...	100	250	.....	...	.....	500	...	...	...	.....	.....	10	...	.....	...	200	...	...	5,292 50
400	...	...	.....	8000	100	...	.....	300	...	...	..	.....	.....	..	...	.....	...	400	...	...	38,110 00
300	...	..	.....	350	5	...	.....	25	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	90	...	...	3,068 50
270	...	...	100	150	.....	...	.....	25	...	...	...	.....	.....	2	...	.....	...	30	...	...	2,542 50
500	...	...	.....	100	.....	...	.....	75	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	40	...	...	4,713 50
800	...	...	.....	250	.....	...	.....	700	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	200	...	...	8,342 50
500	...	...	.....	350	.....	...	.....	170	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	150	...	...	6,180 00
600	...	...	.....	250	....	...	.....	400	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	200	...	...	8,492 50
350	...	...	100	100	.....	...	10	150	...	...	...	.....	2500	25	...	.....	...	25	...	...	4,326 25
200	...	...	.....	150	.....	...	.....	50	...	...	...	500	.....	28	...	.....	..	10	...	...	1,901 00
																					3,293 00
400	...	...	150	170	.....	...	.....	15	...	...	...	200	600	20	...	.....	...	.....	...	...	7,288 75
375	...	...	.....	1000	50	...	.....	50	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	175	...	...	
14713	...	...	678	29971	168	...	166	11130	...	...	...	700	5100	98	...	245900	41	10391	...	...	338,936 90

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs								
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.							
Shelburne.			$			$			$		$							
Jordan Bay	1	89	4000	16	16	1100	20	2500	700	...	.....	...	...	...	...	16	.....	250
Jordan Ferry	1	60	1600	14	25	750	50	2000	500	...	.....	...	...	...	...	5	.....	50
Wood's Harbor	3	40	800	15	100	1500	150	3500	1000	3	3750	...	...	...	...	2500	.....	300
Shag Harbor	6	210	5000	60	50	1100	60	5000	1300	...	.....	...	...	...	...	600	.....	700
Bear Point	4	110	4000	40	25	500	45	4200	1350	..	.....	...	...	...	...	240	.....	250
West Barrington	22	519	12500	154	14	350	28	2000	600	...	.....	...	...	...	...	300	.....	150
Port Latour and Baccaro	1	72	2500	12	155	2000	158	8000	2300	1	1200	...	...	...	...	380	4000	1500
Cape Island	16	793	24000	220	170	7000	330	12000	3000	8	5500	...	...	...	...	5540	.....	1200
Upper Port Latour	4	165	8000	40	50	1200	90	3000	950	...	.....	...	...	...	...	60	.....	1000
Cape Negro and Blanche	1	20	200	6	50	1350	90	3400	1100	...	.....	...	...	...	...	20	.....	3000
Port Clyde	2	35	600	12	15	750	30	900	350	...	.....	...	...	...	...	10	.....	600
North-West Harbor	2	105	1700	20	10	350	25	700	200	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	600
North-East Harbor and Cape Negro Island	1	45	800	9	16	600	32	2000	550	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	1365
Black Point and Red Head	....	.....	.....	.....	35	2000	90	5000	1200	...	.....	...	...	...	..	.....	.....	1100
Roseway and McNutt's Island	....	.....	.....	.....	25	2000	50	4000	1100	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	900
West Shelburne	1	28	1200	8	20	1000	38	1600	520	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	550
East Shelburne	9	576	27500	120	42	650	50	6000	2000	...	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	1550
Lockeport	26	1800	97000	380	30	2200	70	3000	1200	...	.....	...	...	...	...	2600	.....	1600
Totals	100	4667	191400	1126	848	26400	1406	68800	19920	12	10450	...	...	...	...	12271	4000	1665

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																		Fish Products.			Value.
Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, brls.	$ cts.
...	...	.....	2650	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	1250	.....	.....	14,985 00
...	...	.....	1450	.....	.....	.....	550	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	850	.....	.....	8,760 00
...	...	30	500	.....	10	.....	100	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	280516	.....	200	.....	.....	71,037 40
...	...	.....	1500	.....	100	.....	250	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	700	.....	.....	16,855 00
...	...	.....	1100	.....	200	.....	50	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	84000	.....	600	.....	....	21,940 00
...	...	400	5000	.....	300	.....	200	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	5150	30	.....	31,997 50
...	...	50	4500	2	1200	.....	1000	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	19000	.....	2800	.....	.....	42,109 00
...	...	.....	13400	.....	200	200	1500	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	180000	.....	5000	.....	.....	154,050 00
...	...	50	4500	.....	50	.....	250	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	2000	.....	.....	26,275 00
...	...	.....	2400	.....	.....	.....	350	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	65000	.....	1475	.....	.....	34,333 75
...	...	35	600	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	475	.....	.....	5,848 75
...	...	.....	1500	.....	.....	.....	140	.....	...	...	...	...	5	...	.....	.....	700	.....	.....	9,765 00
...	...	.....	1200	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	...	...	...	...	..	...	.....	.....	550	.....	.....	11,267 50
...	...	.....	1000	.....	.....	.....	1000	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	900	.....	.....	12,735 00
...	...	70	850	.....	.....	.....	1400	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	1100	.....	.....	13,107 50
...	...	40	650	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	15000	.....	350	.....	.....	8,893 75
...	...	15	12200	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	...	...	...	...	3	...	33000	.....	6100	.....	.....	67,227 00
...	...	30	38000	.....	100	.....	500	22000	...	...	...	...	...	...	73000	.....	26000	.....	.....	225,290 00
									Fish used for bait.....											12,380 00
									Home consumption.....											25,000 00
...	...	720	92975	2	2160	200	8440	22000	...	...	...	...	8	...	749516	.....	56000	30	.....	813,857 15

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.											
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
Victoria.			$			$			$		$							
New Campbellton.	1	15	300	4	16	300	32	600	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	75
Bras d'Or	...	...	.....	...	20	400	40	800	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	35	.....	80
Boularderie.....	...		.....	...	.....							7	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
French River.	...	...	.....	...	20	400	40	1700	650	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	40	.....	62
English Town	1	14	300	4	35	700	70	1000	500	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	...	86	.....	120
Grand Narrows. ...	...	...	.....	...	20	400	40	600	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	12	.....	200
Wreck Cove	...	...	.....	...	12	240	24	800	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	25	.....	80
St. Ann's Bay.....	...	...	.....	...	12	240	24	300	100	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	...	10	.....	200
Smoky Head.....	...	...	.....	...	10	200	20	660	330	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	...	20	.....	60
Baddeck.....	...	...	.....	...	2	32	4	50	30	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Washabuck.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
												Home consumption of above						
Bay St. Lawrence.	...	...	.....	...	35	700	70	2400	720	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	...	75	.....	100
Aspy Bay.....	...	...	.....	...	20	400	40	1200	360	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	...	20	.....	30
White Point	...	...	.....	...	40	800	80	2400	720	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	...	90	.....	80
New Haven.....	...	...	.....	...	25	500	50	2100	630	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	40
Neil's Harbour.....	...	...	.....	...	30	600	60	3600	1080	.....	.....	8	.....	.....	...	18	.....	74
Green Cove.	...	...	.....	...	20	400	60	1200	360	.....	.....	17	.....	.....	...	30	.....	50
Ingonish.....	...	...	.....	...	36	720	72	3000	900	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	...	200	.....	50
South Bay.....	...	...	.....	...	60	1200	120	5400	1620	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	...	176	33600	87
												Squid, 125 brls , $4					.....	.....
Totals	2	29	600	8	413	8232	846	27810	9400	.....	.....	158	.....	.....	...	837	33600	1388

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																	Fish Products.			Value.
Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	$ cts.
...	...	.....	390	.....	.....	10	40	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	360	...	.....	2,366 50
...	...	.....	450	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	...	...	..	...	.....	.....	.....	240	...	.....	2,878 50
...	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	105 00
...	...	.....	380	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	100	...	.....	2,503 00
...	...	.....	505	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	160	...	.....	3,780 25
...	...	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	59	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	80	...	.....	2,028 50
...	...	.....	145	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	65	...	.....	1,316 00
...	...	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	40	...	.....	1,478 50
...	...	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	50	...	.....	1,117 50
...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	120 00
...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	120	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	360 00
Districts			.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	10,115 00
...	...	.....	2000	.....	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1000	...	.....	11,095 00
...	...	.....	780	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1000	...	.....	4,650 00
...	...	.....	3000	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1500	...	.....	15,795 00
...	...	.....	2080	.....	.....	.....	160	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	440	...	.....	9,846 00
...	...	.....	2300	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1000	...	.....	11,371 00
...	...	.....	1200	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	700	...	.....	7,010 00
...	...	.....	2500	.....	.....	.....	220	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1000	...	.....	14,620 00
...	...	.....	4150	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	76800	.....	3000	...	.....	38,905 50
...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	500 00
...	...	.....	20280	.....	.....	10	1409	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	120	76800	.....	10735	...	.....	141,961 25

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Value of Vessels and

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.											
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in icé, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
Yarmouth.			$			$			$		$							
Bay Shore to Yarmouth Town	14	218	9000	80	58	7000	180	18000	12000	7	14000	...	.....	...	...	3216	.....	2610
Yarmouth Town	21	1040	46000	225	30	5000	94	4500	2800	5	10000	...	.....	...	...	2825	.....	1890
Chebogue	...	.....	.....	.....	15	2000	30	1200	800	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	140	.....	320
Little River	...	.....	.....	.....	41	585	62	2000	1000	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	106	.....	830
										1 trap.	2000							
TusketWedge	11	547	21500	176	25	1000	80	7000	4000	5 w'rs	1000	...	1400	...	...	915	.....	2500
Salmon River	1	30	500	4	50	300	60	6000	2200	.....	.....	...	4000	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Tusket	1	47	1500	12	145	2500	170	20000	7000	.....	.....	...	16000	...	...	.....	.....	.....
East River	...	.....	.....	... ..	73	600	95	5000	3200	.....	.....	...	1850	...	...	.....	.....	.....
Eel Lake and Brook	1	14	500	5	60	600	60	4000	2000	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	350
Argyle	...	.....	.....	.....	35	400	100	2500	1400	1	200	...	.....	...	..	150	5000	250
ArgyleSound	4	183	8500	64	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	80	.....	240
East & West Pubnico	38	1954	120000	598	40	2000	92	12000	4500	2	4000	...	.....	...	...	1800	.....	1500
Totals	91	4033	207500	1164	572	21985	1023	82200	40900	21	31200	...	23250	...	...	9232	5000	10490

Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.																Fish Products.			Value.
Herring, smoked, boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod, Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	$ cts.
...	100	3920	48	2460	.....	2550	69400	86	...	.....	.....	....	...	.....	...	4760	700	.....	95,977 00
...	50	20582	42	1090	175	2495	14800	30	...	....	.....	....	...	.....	...	9600	500	.....	151,805 50
...	.....	120	.....	15	.....	70	800	....	...	.....	.....	....	...	.....	...	30	.....	.....	3,555 00
...	15	102	.....	20	.....	610	1700	.....	...	.....	500	4	...	.....	...	92	.....	.....	7,306 30
...	75	10775	22	450	100	1080	8700	40	...	.....	.....	....	...	.....	...	6125	.....	.....	76,136 00
...	1730	60	2	12	.....	35	750	....	...	.....	14000	20	...	.....	...	30	.....	.....	9,038 00
...	2740	800	2	50	.....	200	800	10	...	1200	30000	40	...	.....	...	400	.....	.....	20,269 00
...	525	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	690	.....	20	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	2,593 50
...	300	120	2	20	.....	60	.....	....	...	.....	.....	250	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	5,686 50
...	650	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	...	.....	.....	15	...	96600	...	.....	.....	1200	21,075 00
...	.....	3850	8	85	150	1050	1900	...	...	.....	.....	12	...	.....	...	1500	.....	.....	23,873 00
...	50	31850	76	1075	240	6425	63000	....	...	.....	.....	30	...	.....	...	19345	80	.....	205,008 75
Lobsters shipped alive to the United Stated, 200,000, at $25 per 1000																			5,000 00
do sold in County in shell, 25,000, at $25 per 1000																			625 00
...	6235	72179	202	5277	665	14575	161850	166	...	1800	44500	391	...	96600	...	41932	1280	1200	627,948 55

RECAPITULATION showing the Total Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Nova Scotia.

No.	COUNTIES.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.								
		Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.										
		No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, brls.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, brls.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, brls.	Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.
				$			$			$		$									
1	Annapolis	18	324	7425	72	243	5176	496	38490	19245	24	8700	.....	9500	.....	.....	3	.....	21515	27500	31300
2	Antigonish	.....	.....	.....	.....	188	3100	400	14700	22300	.....	.....	.....	39705	.....	.....	684	.....	700	.....	.....
3	Cumberland	.....	.....	.....	.....	58	1520	203	3980	2080	18	465	.....	4000	.....	.....	165	.....	1425	.....	.....
4	Colchester	.....	.....	.....	.....	148	4360	301	30010	8257	34	9850	42	31270	.....	.....	.....	.....	180	.....	295
5	Cape Breton	12	224	4280	68	720	21816	1694	52052	20477	700	700	77	5200	.....	.....	1016	.....	19339	.....	120
6	Digby	95	1506	32900	632	516	17870	1194	24701	22360	31	2050	.....	.....	.....	.....	405	.....	17923	.....	14000
7	Guysborough	27	1038	28850	224	1254	30330	2127	167280	83440	75	9560	169	12700	6200	96	12693	.....	22909	.....	.....
8	Halifax	65	1642	44150	383	2334	67010	2777	254720	91340	420	94000	.....	62590	56730	.....	12652	.....	27169	.....	.....
9	Hants	.....	.....	.....	.....	158	3100	214	13726	3362	6	775	2	2900	.....	.....	.....	.....	46	1000	.....
10	Inverness	17	484	9000	100	743	23624	2188	60910	24019	68	906	202	3255	.....	1000	6438	.....	12706	.....	.....
11	Kings	8	80	2000	.....	46	870	314	16140	4150	15	1500	.....	16900	.....	.....	.....	.....	9010	.....	113790
12	Lunenburg	175	9540	485960	1667	2060	56315	3900	60300	54200	131	27400	.....	88873	2980	.....	11590	.....	14440	.....	.....
13	Pictou	.....	.....	.....	.....	192	3826	348	9885	11175	8100	6480	.....	87830	.....	.....	157	.....	1038	.....	.....
14	Queens	32	1046	51050	299	499	12654	853	25278	12876	.....	.....	.....	29982	.....	.....	158	.....	1705	.....	.....
15	Richmond	66	2216	38870	471	990	20173	1962	107820	41706	.....	.....	50	100	.....	.....	5401	.....	14713	.....	.....
16	Shelburne	100	4667	191400	1126	848	26400	1406	68800	19920	12	10450	.....	.....	.....	.....	12271	4000	16665	.....	.....
17	Victoria	2	29	600	8	413	8232	846	27810	9400	.....	.....	158	.....	.....	.....	837	33600	1388	.....	.....
18	Yarmouth	91	4033	207500	1164	572	21985	1023	82200	40900	21	31200	.....	23250	.....	.....	9232	5000	10490	.....	.....
	Totals	708	26829	1103985	6214	11982	328361	22286	1058802	491207	9705	204036	700	418055	65910	1096	73702	42600	193361	28500	159505

RECAPITULATION showing the Total Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats, &c.—Nova Scotia—*Concluded.*

No.	COUNTIES.	KINDS OF FISH.															FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
		Alewives, brls.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues & Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, brls.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, brls.	Oysters, brls.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, galls.	Fish Guano, tons	Fish used as manure, brls.	$ cts.
1	Annapolis	.....	2465	.....	915	2870	2795	8600	5	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	8655	.....	2450	148,848 00
		Hake Sounds, 2,820 lbs., at 60c.; Smoked Haddies, 1,500 doz, at $1...																		3,192 00
2	Antigonish	23	398	.....	.....	840	135	.....	.....	2100	4400	15300	167	230	234000	.....	740	.....	.....	59,333 75
3	Cumberland	1315	100	.....	131	175	.....	5900	647	3200	2625	8700	35	700	220500	.....	278	11	.....	56,943 20
4	Colchester	12	180	.....	.....	.....	60	1000	2675	.....	230	14500	.....	.....	170000	.....	145	.....	.....	55,075 30
5	Cape Breton	160	29385	10	.....	122	2216	6630	12	20	5390	21700	131	53	86000	.....	14528	34	272	242,207 85
		Home Consumption, $6,434; Fish used for bait, 1,280 brls., at $3; Capelin, 400, at $1.50.																		10,874 10
6	Digby	.....	58910	.....	83095	65960	70910	75036	376	.....	500	1000	.....	.....	.....	23	78550	157	9610	1,166,224 66
		Fresh Halibut, 185,000 lbs., at 6c.; Fresh Haddock, 75,000 lbs., at 3c.; Smoked Haddies, 4,000 doz, at $1; Canned Haddock, 900 cases, at $6																		22,750 00
																				35,300 00
		Hake Sounds, 58,000 lbs., at 60c.; Fresh Codfish, 10,000 lbs., at 5c																		
7	Guysborough	2421	36847	105	168	3045	12149	53050	23	200	20400	17800	80	.....	933240	756	20257	.....	.....	634,520 20
		Squid, 3,300 brls., at $4																		13,200 00
8	Halifax	4332	37937	352	11	17680	3882	215160	5	.....	9600	126500	153	.....	1201388	.....	33032	.....	.....	733,795 35
		Fish sold in Halifax Fish Market																		30,000 00
9	Hants	1090	54	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	1630	2520	.....	4500	.....	.....	.....	.....	38	.....	.....	19,307 40
10	Inverness	783	34547	145	.....	2430	2703	2005	6	100	26950	29500	415	602	219183	.....	19610	270	.....	346,585 75
11	Kings	8	1000	.....	150	.....	770	.....	911	.....	1050	7000	.....	.....	.....	.....	1150	.....	1410	83,748 00
12	Lunenburg	1050	175341	237	14290	14950	29824	178000	.....	.....	11800	15300	295	.....	172600	16	160056	169	1200	1,293,882 60
13	Pictou	.....	399	.....	.....	274	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	2000	11	40	531000	.....	150	.....	.....	101,640 75
14	Queens	2829	18970	42	51	3306	1005	23100	.....	.....	.....	7400	59	.....	78750	.....	19616	96	50	148,785 70
		Clams, 275 brls., at $5; Albicores, 60 brls., at $5; Lobsters, in shell, 33,000, at $25 per M.																		2,500 00
15	Richmond	678	29971	168	.....	166	11130	.....	.....	.....	700	5100	98	.....	245900	41	10391	.....	.....	330,936 90
		Home Consumption																		8,000 00
16	Shelburne	720	92975	2	2160	200	8440	22000	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	749516	.....	56000	30	.....	776,477 15
		Home Consumption, $25,000; Fish used for bait, $12,380																		37,380 00
17	Victoria	.....	20280	.....	.....	10	1409	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	120	76800	.....	10735	.....	.....	131,346 25
		Home Consumption, $10,115; Squid, 125 brls., at $4																		10,615 00
18	Yarmouth	6235	72179	202	5277	665	14575	161850	166	.....	1800	44500	391	.....	96600	.....	41932	1280	1200	622,323 55
		Lobsters shipped alive to the U. S., 200,000, at $25 per M.; Lobsters sold in county, in shell, 25,000, at $25 per M.																		5,625 00
	Totals	21656	611938	1263	106248	112693	162041	752331	6156	9140	85495	320800	1783	1745	4965477	840	475863	2047	16192	7,131,418 36

No. 2.

NEW BRUNSWICK.

REPORT OF W. H. VENNING, Esq, INSPECTOR OF FISHERIES FOR THE PROVINCE OF NEW BRUNSWICK, FOR THE YEAR 1882.

Fisheries Office, St. John,
31st December, 1882.

Hon. A. W. McLelan,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
Ottawa.

Sir,—I have the honour to transmit a Report on the fisheries of New Brunswick, for the year 1882, with synopses of the Reports from local officers. Accompanying these will be found the returns of the fish catch in the several districts, and in the Province. These show, in the aggregate, a considerable increase over the catch of last year.

SALMON.

There has been an important increase in the catch of this fish, as compared with that of 1881 and 1880; but it falls very far short of the catches in 1879, 1878 and 1877. I see no reason, from this increase, to change the opinion I have so often put on record, that the salmon fishery of this Province has, of late years, been pursued to so excessive an extent, that the power of the fish to multiply cannot keep up the stock against so great an annual drain. It must be borne in mind that the number and extent of nets now in use in New Brunswick, and the number of men now engaged in this fishery, far exceeds those of former years, when much larger catches were made. It should also be remembered that greatly improved modes of arranging and setting these nets have, of late years, been developed by the ingenuity of fishermen, stimulated by the enhanced price obtained for their fish. But with all these additional nets, and with all this improvement in setting them, the combined catches of last three years aggregate less by 336,618 pounds than the single catch of the year 1873, and less by 718,278 pounds than of 1874. In the face of truths like these, it is useless to deny that our salmon fisheries are threatened with exhaustion, if the present over-fishing is not curtailed, and it is worse than folly to expect any permanent improvement as long as this excessive fishing is pursued. Those who deny that the fishery is failing, and those who pretend to look for its recuperation under existing circumstances, are either very ignorant of facts, or they have some personal end to serve by disguising the truth. I have, in former Reports, suggested, what appears to my understanding, the most feasible mode of reducing this excess; and I now beg to repeat that, in my opinion, the continuance of our salmon fishery, as a great and profitable industry, depends on a longer weekly close time, and a much more efficient protection of spawning fish, than the present machinery supplies.

BASS.

This fishery continues to improve. Even in Miramichi, where it was so much abused in past years, there are signs of recuperation. But as the number of fishermen is constantly increasing, and additional ingenuity is every season employed to evade

the regulations found necessary for its protection, it will be but little short of a miracle, if the improvement continues. The greatest evil the fishery now has to contend with is, the destruction of young fish. As long as dealers will buy them, so long will they continue to be caught, in spite of the utmost exertions of fishery officers to detect offenders. The present regulations have saved the fishery from total destruction, and any relaxation of them will speedily neutralize their good effects.

SHAD.

The slight improvement noted last year in the yield of this fishery has not been sustained, and there is no possibility of mistaking the evidence yearly offered, that it is rapidly declining in New Brunswick. It has been asserted that the shad caught in the Maritime Provinces, do not breed in our rivers, but that having spawned in rivers further south, they come into our bays and estuaries in search of food. No rational evidence has been offered for this assertion, which is opposed to all we know of the habits of this fish, and to the opinions of those specialists who have written on the subject. If it were true, we would naturally expect our supply to keep pace with the increase of shad in American waters, which, of late years has been marvellous, owing to the great success that has attended its artificial hatching, as perfected by Mr. Seth Green, and practiced on a large scale in the rivers of Massachusetts, Connecticut and New York. But what are the facts? Simply these, which I commend to the consideration of all theorists. When shad had become very scarce from excessive fishing in the Middle and Northern States, our waters were teeming with them, because, at that time they were fished to a very limited extent—only sufficient to supply the needs of a very sparse population. As population increased and the demand for them became greater, the fishery was more actively followed; but still, no great diminution was perceptible in their numbers. At length, when the means of exporting them gave a market for all that could be caught; when brush-weirs and drift-nets were brought into use to capture them, a great diminution in their numbers was observed, and they have slowly but steadily decreased ever since. Some years were better than others, as indeed they are yet, but the great falling off has been indisputable. In the meantime, from the great success of artificial hatching, they have again become plentiful in the States; but we see no corresponding increase in the numbers frequenting our waters.

ALEWIVES.

There has been a considerable increase in the catch of this fish, especially in the harbour and river of St. John. In the northern counties it has been about the same as last year. As stated in former reports, and for the reasons therein given, I can see no reasonable ground for expecting a permanent improvement in this fishery until the fishing is curtailed by a longer weekly close time, to enable larger numbers of breeding fish to reach their spawning places and perform their procreative functions. The whole catch consists of gravid fish, taken on their way to their spawning grounds, and the number of these that escape is too small to keep up the stock.

SMELT.

This fishery continues to be pursued to an excessive extent, with very small profit to those engaged in it. The catch of this year exceeds that of last by nearly a million pounds. The consequence has been overstocked markets and unremunerative prices. If any means could be adopted to restrict the catch of this fish within reasonable limits, both fishermen and dealers would be benefitted; because prices would advance as the supply diminished, until a fair maximum was reached, and they would make more profit from the smaller catch than they now derive from the larger quantities. How long the present supply of this prolific little fish will stand the annual drain made on it is a question of some interest. Dealers assert that the

supply is inexhaustible, but all experience proves the contrary. Alewives were once as plentiful in this Province as smelts are now. We have seen the result of excessive fishing on them. Smelts were once as numerous in the streams of the neighbouring States as they are now in those of this Province. Excessive fishing there had so nearly exterminated the species that the most stringent protective measures have failed to recuperate its numbers. Indications are not wanting to show that in our Province like causes will produce like effects. Although more fishermen than ever before are this winter employed in their capture, the catch up to the present time has been smaller than to the same date last winter, though it has been sufficiently large to prevent any material advance in price. I fully expect to see the usual efforts made by dealers and fishermen to get an extension of time for fishing, after their licenses have expired, on the plea that they have made no money this winter.

PICKEREL.

This fish has become so numerous in the St. John River that it is now utilized as an article of food and export. A small quantity finds sale in our local markets, but the bulk of the catch is packed in ice and shipped to Boston and New York where ready sale is found. The fishery, at present, is carried on in Queen's County, where 120,000 pounds were caught this season. Its capture gives remunerative employment to quite a number of men and youths who thus employ the time they can spare from their regular employment as agriculturists.

PERCH.

Several varieties of this fish are plentiful in most of our rivers and lakes; but until this season they have not, to any extent, been taken for food. The largest variety, the white perch (*labrax pallidus*) which attains a good size and is an excellent pan fish, abounds in all the sluggish water-stretches on the St. John River. Those employed in catching pickerel took large numbers of these perch, which also find a ready sale in American markets. About 35,000 pounds were packed in ice and exported. Should the demand continue, pickerel and perch will probably form permanent items in the returns.

STURGEON.

The catch of this fish has seriously declined. The returns show a decrease of nearly 25 per cent. as compared with those of last year. Fishermen attribute this to the long continuance of high freshets last spring, which kept the current so strong that they could not set their nets until June. This may possibly be the cause of the diminished catch; but several considerations lead me to think that fish were not nearly so plentiful as they were in previous years. This fishery, however, is yet new to me, and I have not got sufficient data to form a positive opinion. The experience of two or three more season's fishing will enable me to judge, from undeniable facts, whether the falling off is to be attributed to the scarcity of fish or to other causes. In the meantime I see no cause to recommend any change in the present regulations.

HERRING.

The returns from this fishery continue to show a very considerable increase in the catch. Still larger quantities of sardines have been taken, and though prices have advanced very materially, the demand has not been supplied.

Thus far the great quantities of these young herrings caught in our waters have had no perceptible effect on the supply of mature fish. Whether this will continue to be the case, remains to be seen in future years. This continued demand for sardines is yearly increasing the number of weirs. Old sites are being abandoned and new ones taken up; larger and more expensive structures are taking the place of small and cheap weirs; seines and nets are more freely employed, and every means that ingenuity can

devise are adopted to increase the catch of herrings. In view of this I would again strongly urge that all spawning places of herrings be strictly protected, and fishing in them prohibited during the spawning season. Nothing but rigid protection of the spawning ground at the Southern Head of Grand Manan, has preserved this fishery in Charlotte County. This is the only breeding place of herring that is protected in the Province, and the time has come when prudent forethought would extend this protection to all other spawning places in the Bay of Fundy. In my last Report I described, at some length, a very objectionable mode of taking herring, called "driving," by means of torches composed of cotton waste or oakum saturated with parafine oil. This mode of fishing has become more common, and is loudly complained of by net and weir fishermen, who assert that the oil from these torches pollutes the water and drives the herring from the shores. There is no doubt that these complaints are well founded, and I would again urge the necessity of prohibiting this mode of fishing.

MACKEREL.

This fishery has been a failure in New Brunswick. Our fishermen are not provided with the improved appliances adopted by Americans for taking this fish; nor are their sailing crafts suitable for following it far from shore. Hitherto, they have confined their operations to shore fishing in open boat with hook and line, and as the schools of mackerel which "struck in" to our shores this season would not take bait, the quantity caught was very small. Nothing but want of enterprise prevents our fishermen from following the example of their American brethren and competing with them in this fishery. It is to be hoped that the bounty offered by Government will stimulate them to more energy and enterprise; lead to the building of suitable vessels, encourage the adoption of improved implements and modes of fishing, and induce them to wipe out the reproach under which they have hitherto rested, of seeing their best fishing grounds occupied and utilized by foreign fishermen.

COD.

The catch of this fish has decreased for the last three years. This has not arisen from any scarcity of fish, but from other causes well understood. Cod fishing, in this Province, was always done principally in the Counties of Gloucester, Kent and Charlotte. In the former two it was the principal occupation of fishermen, and from these three Counties came our largest supply of shore-caught fish. In Gloucester and Kent the extraordinary development of the lobster fishery has afforded employment almost at their own doors, and has diverted cod fishermen from their old industry. In Charlotte County the sardine fishery has offered greater inducements to fishermen than cod fishing ever did, and has drawn a large number of persons from the business of catching and curing them. As long as the lobster and sardine business continues remnerative, we need not expect to see much improvement in the catch of cod and other deep sea fishes.

HALIBUT, POLLACK, HAKE AND HADDOCK.

The same causes that have reduced the catch of cod, have operated on all these fisheries; consequently the returns fall short of previous years. The supply has not been equal to the demand, and prices have been higher than formerly. There is, in these fisheries, a fine field for the investment of capital. Ordinary energy and industry could not fail to reap a rich reward. But our mercantile men are slow to try new fields, and particularly have they been averse from embarking capital in the valuable fisheries which lie almost at their feet.

LOBSTERS.

The development of this fishery is something astonishing. The production has gone on increasing, for some years past, at the rate of over a million pounds per year; but this year's catch exceeds that of last by nearly a million and a half, the aggregate catch amounting to nearly 8,000,000 pounds, exclusive of local consump-

tion. It might naturally be thought that this increased production, year after year, indicates an increasing supply of fish, and that any fear of exhausting it is groundless. But this conclusion would be erroneous. There is no doubt in the minds of either canners or fishermen that the supply is fast diminishing in all those localities where the business has been longest pursued, and that the average size of the lobster is now less than half what it was when the business of canning was first started. It now takes double the number of traps to produce the same quantity, and the increased production is caused by the greater number of men and traps employed to supply the numerous canning establishments that have been started within the last few years. The proprietors of these assert that the present regulations (which are not nearly stringent enough) are ruining them, and they are seeking to have these relaxed so that the present enormous production may be still further increased. I have, in former reports, expressed my firm conviction that no fishery can long withstand so great an annual drain as this has been subjected to for the last five years. I have seen no good reason to change that conviction; on the contrary, I have seen much to strengthen it. This drain has been out of all proportion to the power of so slow-growing a creature to multiply; and the enormous catches of the last two years will surely hasten the time when the business will fail for want of fish to make it remunerative. As the business is now conducted there is no chance of a rise in prices, because the new stock is placed on the market before the old stock is consumed. Were the production lessened the old stocks would be disposed of; new stock would be in demand; better prices would be obtained, and more profit would be made from a small catch than is now realized from the enormous quantity that is yearly produced. There is still much disputing about fishing limits, and every new factory started adds to the duties of fishery officers, who experience much trouble in settling these quarrels.

OYSTERS.

As stated in former Reports, no hope exists of any improvement in our oyster beds. The yield this year is but little over half that of last, and every succeeding year will see it diminish. Nothing but private enterprise and capital devoted to the culture of oysters, will now increase the yield in New Brunswick.

SYNOPSES OF OVERSEERS' REPORTS.

RESTIGOUCHE COUNTY.

Overseer Verge, of the Upper Division, sent his report direct to the Department. From the returns it would appear that the salmon fishery, the only one carried on in that division, was even worse than it proved last year. The figures are 70,000 pounds in 1881, against 55,318 pounds in 1882. In 1879 the catch in this district was 135,262 pounds.

Overseer McPherson, of the Coast Division, reports another very bad year for salmon. The catch shows an increase of only 1,749 pounds over that of last year, which was the worst catch ever known. In 1879 the catch in this district was 375,114 pounds, against 93,408 pounds in 1882. The lobster fisheries show an increased catch, while that of herring and mackerel was about the same as last year.

GLOUCESTER COUNTY.

Overseer Hickson reports a small increase in the catch of salmon over that of last year. There were more salmon than usual in the Nepissiquit River, which he attributes to a succession of strong gales which disarranged the nets on the coast and gave the fish a comparatively free passage to the river. There was a much larger number of lobster traps set this season than ever before; but the catch has not been increased, which shows that lobsters are becoming scarcer. Mr. Hickson repeats the opinion expressed last year, that the present excessive rate of fishing will soon exhaust the supply of lobsters on the coast of Gloucester. The catch of herring was

somewhat better than usual. Mackerel were plentiful off the coast, but the boats used in Gloucester are too small to pursue this fishery to advantage. The catch has not exceeded a small average. The cod fishery yielded a fair catch, and with a better class of boats this fishery would yield large and profitable returns.

Overseers Haché of Shippegan District, reports an increased yield of all kinds of fish; salmon were somewhat more plentiful than last season; but the catch was far short of former years. Mackerel fishing in this district gave poor returns; but herrings were plentiful both spring and fall. The returns do not show a large quantity salted; a great part of the catch having been used as bait. The smelt fishery was prosecuted vigourously in this district for the first time, and a fair business was done. Preparations are being made for much larger operations this winter, and no doubt greater quantities will be caught. The lobster fishery has been pursued to a much greater extent that ever before, consequently the returns show a large increase. There are now thirty canning establishments in this district; no less than eight new ones having been started last summer. How much longer this fishery will continue to be remunerative is a question of some importance to those who are now eager only to increase their operations.

Overseer Haché of Caraquet, *Landry* of Pokemouche, and *Savoy* of Tracadie, have neglected to send me any reports of their districts. The returns show little change from the figures of last year. The catch of smelt and alewives was, however, somewhat larger.

NORTHUMBERLAND COUNTY.

Overseer Stymast, of Tabusintac District, reports no improvement in the salmon fishery. The figures are 2,169 pounds in 1882, as compared with 3,984 pounds in 1881. The catch of alewives show no increase. Smelt returns indicate a falling off from previous years, which Mr. Stymast attributes to the vast drain yearly made on the stock. He thinks fishing should not be allowed until 1st December. Lobsters appear to be scarcer than formerly, which he considers is owing to excessive fishing. He strongly urges the prohibition of lobster during the hot weather in July and August. The increased number of lobster factories in this district, together with the smelt fishing in winter, has much increased the work of Overseer Stymast.

Overseer Robichaux, of Nequac and Portage Island District, reports an improvement in the catch of salmon, as compared with the previous two seasons. The quantities are 55,880 pounds in 1882; 41,730 pounds in 1881; 62,680 pounds in 1880. But as compared with the catch of 1879, the decrease is still nearly fifty per cent. The bass fishery gave an increased catch; the smelt fishery about the same as last year. Mackerel appeared in larger numbers than usual; but as they would not take the hook a poor catch was made. Cod were plentiful and gave about an average yield. The herring fishery was good, and a very large quantity was used as bait, which do not appear in the returns. Lobsters were plentiful in May and June, but scarce during the rest of the season.

The death of Overseer Williston has left me without any report from Escuminac and Bay du Vin district; but from reliable sources I learn that the number of salmon caught largely exceeds that of the previous two years. Bass fishing was also better. Lobsters were scarcer than usual; but smelts and other fish gave average returns. The herring fishery at the mouth of the river has been nearly discontinued, as the want of shelter almost prevents its pursuit. When the proposed breakwater at Escuminac is built, a large fleet of fishing boats will no doubt make it their rendezvous, and revive this important fishery.

Overseer Russell, of Grand Downs and Lower Newcastle District, reports a larger catch of salmon. At Grand Downs the increase was 1,800 pounds; at Oak Point, 10,190 pounds; at Lower Newcastle, 14,190 pounds; making a total increase in the district of 26,180 pounds. Bass and alewives were scarce, and very small catches of these fish were made. The catch of smelts was smaller than usual, as the state of the ice did not permit fishing while the best runs were passing the district.

Overseer Wyse, of Chatham and Napan District, reports a great improvement in

the catch of salmon and a material advance in prices. He urges increased protection to the spawning fish, upon which the future supply of the river depends. He says: "The bass fishery with hook and line has been profitable this season, as a very good fall catch was made. Some fishermen grumbled very much because they were not allowed to set bass nets in September. But from the evidence of last September's work I am now satisfied that it would be destructive to late salmon were nets allowed in that month. Even in October, when bass nets are legal, salmon are caught and shipped despite the watchfulness of fishery officers. In the mouth of Napan River poachers are as active as ever, and finding the seine too cumbersome for their purpose, they have substituted bag nets and use every device to evade the wardens. The alewife fishery has not been productive, although fish were in good supply. They came in later than usual, and, heavy freshets prevailing, they kept in deep water. Smelt were abundant, and the catches so large that shippers have suffered. There appears to be a mania for shipping smelts, even when prices are lowest, which always results in loss to somebody. The falling off in the catch of lobsters has been very great. The open season should end 15th July; after the business is unprofitable both to canners and fishermen. The former have to keep their men employed at large expense, and the latter lose the soft-shelled and spawning fish."

Overseer Hogan, of Newcastle and North Esk District, reports a better catch of salmon and a good run of fall fish in the river; he fears that many of these fell a prey to poachers. The catch of bass last winter was not so good as that of the previous year. The greatest difficulty Mr. Hogan has to contend with is the destruction of spawning salmon and young bass. While settlers will eat the former, and dealers will buy the latter, it will be impossible to prevent them from being caught with the present machinery at his disposal. The small salaries paid to wardens is no inducement for them to remain at home to attend to their duty in winter. Many of them have to go to the lumber woods to earn a livelihood, and those who do not have to engage in some daily occupation to support themselves and their families, and thus the district is left without sufficient officers to guard it, while every unoccupied and shiftless man for miles around flocks to the ice and engages in the bass fishery. I have directed Overseer Hogan to employ assistance when he finds it necessary from absence of the regular wardens.

Overseer Parker, of Upper Nelson and Derby District, reports a much better catch of salmon than that of the previous two years. Alewives were also more plentiful and a better catch than usual was made. This increase he attributes to the abolition of seining, by which mode of fishing the species had been almost exterminated. After the close season commenced, a good run of salmon ascended the river, and more or less poaching was done. Mr. Parker says: "With regard to close season, my experience has been, that when the work to be done is in the darkness of night, men whose limbs are stiffened by age, and whose sight is dim from the same cause, are not those calculated to catch the poachers of the present day. It requires activity as well as courage and determination, to go among a dozen men with their faces blackened and yelling like fiends, not knowing at what moment a stone may be thrown at your head from some hidden hand. I believe that a few suitable men, properly paid, would be more effective in preventing illegal fishing than the present large number of Wardens at insignificant salaries."

Overseers Holt, of Blackville; *Bamford*, of Blissfield; *Freeze*, of Doaktown, and *Cameron*, of Stanley, all report a better run of salmon in their districts. Gaspereaux were also plentiful, but running timber in the river prevented nets from being set, and only a small quantity were taken.

KENT COUNTY.

Overseer Sutherland, of the Upper Division, reports an increased catch of salmon and smelts; but alewives, cod, mackerel, herring and lobsters have all been scarcer than usual on that coast. Mr. Sutherland assigns no reason for this general falling off in the fisheries of his district.

Overseer Girouard, of Buctouche District, again reports a very poor catch of mackerel, which do not appear to have struck into the shores of Kent County the past two seasons. Herrings also were scarce along the whole coast of Kent. Bass and smelt fishing was better than last year, but the catch of alewives was much smaller. The lobster fishery has fallen off very seriously in this county, where it has been longer pursued than in any other of the northern counties, but where once the supply was considered inexhaustible. This shows beyond a doubt that no fishery can long stand the enormous annual drain that has been made on the lobster stock of Kent County. The same results will soon be seen in all other localities where this business is pursued to the same extent as it has been done in this.

Overseer Cormier, of the Lower Division, reports a smaller catch of spring herring, owing to the unfavorable weather that prevailed when the fish appeared. Cod and mackerel fishing have again given very poor returns. In this district, also, the catch of lobster is smaller than usual.

WESTMORELAND COUNTY.

Overseer Deacon, of Shediac and Cape Tormentine District, reports as follows: "I regret to note a falling off this year in nearly all the fisheries of my District. Mackerel appeared in the usual numbers, and of good size; but they would not take bait, and consequently not nearly so many were caught. Bass were plentiful and the catch with hook and line was very fair. Smelt were also plentiful; but the first of the year prices were so low from overstocked markets that our dealers made no money. The last of the year better prices were obtained, and the steady cold weather was favorable to large shipments. I would again recommend the license fee for bag nets to be raised to $5 each all over the Province, and thereby prevent the waste of these valuable fish. There was a great falling off in the catch of herrings last spring. The only reason I can assign for this is the late date at which the ice left the shores. Lower Shemogue is the only place where they struck in large numbers. Lobster fishing was about as usual. So far I do not perceive any diminution in the supply, nor in the average size. There were fourteen factories in operation this year. I would again recommend that the close season be made from the 15th July to 15th August, as the fish are not fit for canning during the extreme hot weather. If the fish are not taken from the 15th July to 20th August in the northern counties, they will get sufficient protection, if at all times spawn lobsters are released, climate and weather will do the rest, because we cannot commence fishing until about 20th May, and we cannot continue longer than October. This will give but three months out of the year for fishing. Last April I surveyed the coast on the ice from Cape Bald to Cape Jourimain, and divided the fishing grounds among the factories. I have now no difficulty with fishermen, as they all appeared satisfied with their limits.

Overseer Goodwin, of Bay Verte and Sackville District, reports as follows:— "There has been a small decrease in the whole catch of this district, as compared with that of last season. But this falling off has not arisen from any scarcity of fish. The chief part of the fishing in this district is carried on by farmers and others who live along the coast, and as the spring was later than usual in this locality—the ice not leaving the Bay until the 3rd of May—but a short season was left for the herring fishery. Notwithstanding this drawback, about 25,000 barrels were taken. This branch of industry is very remunerative, as the fish are easily caught and cured and find a ready sale at good prices. Extensive preparations are being made for next spring's fishing, as the demand increases every year. There has also been fewer alewives caught, which was caused by the disallowance of seines and dip-nets, and a rigid enforcement of the weekly close time. This decrease in the catch will increase the stock of breeding fish, and add to the numbers in future years. Bass were plentiful, and some good catches with hook and line were made during the months of July, August and September, when they are in excellent condition. Mackerel fishing was poor, very few having been caught. Shad fishing in Sackville was very good for a short time early in the season; but the late fishing proved a failure. Tidnish and Port Elgin Rivers were formerly much obstructed by banks of

saw-dust, which interfered with navigation; but since the law has been enforced and no fresh deposit permitted, the ice and freshet are clearing out the old channels, which will, I think, soon be free from this obstruction.

Overseer Cormier, of Dorchester Bay District, reports a smaller catch of shad, which he attributes to unfavorable weather for fishing, especially in September and October. Only seven boats were engaged in cod and herring fishing down the Bay, and these for only three weeks. Shad fishing is more profitable, and almost wholly engages the attention of fishermen. The limited catch of fall shad has made the demand brisk and prices better. From $9 to $14 per barrel having been asked and obtained for late caught fish.

ALBERT COUNTY.

Overseer Akerley reports a slight decrease in the catch of salmon and shad, caused by a late, cold spring, and consequently a less vigorous prosecution of these branches of fishing. In place of eight weirs, as in former years, there were but four built this year. Alewives and smelt were plentiful; but these fish are caught only for domestic use and in limited quantities. The same remark applies to line fishing, which is pursued to a very small extent by farmers in their spare time. Coverdale and Pollet rivers are no longer visited by migratory fish; but they abound with fine trout which offer great attractions to anglers by whom the streams are much frequented during the summer months. The fish ways have been kept open, and the close seasons well observed.

VICTORIA COUNTY.

Overseer McCluskey sends a long report, the principal points of which I condense, as I consider the facts he relates deserve immediate attention. He says:—"There has been a fair run of salmon in our waters the present year, owing to the height and long continuance of the spring freshets, which delayed the setting of nets until the first run of fish had ascended the river. The same cause, however, operated to prevent the catch of many fish in my district by legal means; but from indications seen by myself, poachers on the Tobique and Serpentine have been active and successful. Besides my annual visits, I made two special trips to the Serpentine to procure ova for the hatching house. On the first of these trips, I learned that two canoes with four Indians had been up to the salmon holes about ten days previous to my arrival, and had speared a large number of fish. I was also informed that two white men had been up the branch and had speared about fifty salmon. The evidence of this work was visible at their camping place; the bones and offals of the fish being found half consumed by fire, in an attempt to conceal their lawless work. I remonstrated in forcible terms with the Wardens about this matter; but they had plausible excuses to offer. The principal one was that the men who were suspected of this slaughter were up working about the forks of the Nictaw getting railroad sleepers and spruce logs; and, whenever an opportunity offered, in the absence of officers, they went to work spearing and concealed the fish until they could smuggle them down river in the night. The wardens also say that they cannot devote all their time, day and night, to watching poachers, for the small pay they get. Their salary is not sufficient to enable them to give all, or even half their time and attention to the protection of the fish. Again, the different law-suits that have arisen from officers enforcing the law and the adverse verdicts and judgments that have been given by the Courts, have damped the ardor of the Wardens and emboldened the poachers. * * * On whatever basis the matter is finally settled, the plan I have so often urged in former reports is the only one that will be productive of good results in guarding the fish in this district—that is, the employment of two special guardians to travel constantly up and down the river in canoes, from 1st August, to 1st November. I saw large numbers of young salmon on the Serpentine, from three to six inches long; if the spawning fish were well protected, I have no doubt that salmon would soon again be plentiful in the Tobique. Another Warden is necessary for that portion of the St. John, lying between Grand Falls and Indian Point. The distance is about forty miles and one Warden cannot guard it

properly, where everyone is ready to fish illegally if he sees a chance of doing so with impunity. The Indians of the village above Andover cannot be induced to fish with nets, and the inference is plain that they do so with their primitive implement, the speer. Mill-owners in this County and in Carleton still allow sawdust and refuse to enter the river despite the efforts of fishery officers to prevent the nuisance."

I have so often called attention to this matter, and have pressed my views on the Department so persistently, that I am at a loss what more I can say to urge compliance with Overseer McCluskey's request.

CARLETON COUNTY.

Overseer Mills, of the Upper District, reports as follows:—"I must again draw attention to the absolute necessity of employing guardians in my district, and of paying them sufficiently to secure their whole time and attention to the work of protecting spawning fish from 1st August to last October. The decisions of the Courts in Steadman *vs.* Robertson, and Phair and Steadman *vs.* Venning, have been construed by many to mean that landowners have the right to take fish when, where and how they please. As a result of this erroneous impression, poaching has been carried on throughout the whole course of the Upper Miramichi to a greater extent than usual. I have done all in my power to prevent illegal fishing, but being without assistance, on a stretch of more than 60 miles of river, I cannot say my efforts have been entirely successful. The fall run of salmon was unusually good, and if proper protection could only be given to the spawning fish, I see no reason (except excessive fishing) why this river should not in a few years regain its former reputation as a salmon stream. The measures taken to prevent saw-dust and other mill refuse from going into the river have been so successful as to leave no cause for complaint."

Overseer Burtt, of the Lower District, reports very few salmon caught in the County, which he attributes to the pollution of the water by saw-dust, as well as to the late and high freshets in the river. He again urges the appointment of an officer at Woodstock, as the district is too extensive for one man to guard effectually.

Warden Scott reports a good catch of salmon in June; but this fell off in July, and in August there were none taken. A very small catch of shad and bass was made; but these fish are not pursued with much vigour or perseverance.

YORK COUNTY.

Overseer Orr reports no improvement in the catch of salmon. The scarcity of fish led to much illegal fishing, and a number of nets were seized for being set on Sunday. Shad were more plentiful than last year; but little preparation was made for pursuing this fishery, and the catch was very small. The number of sturgeon nets set in the lower Counties seems to have prevented the usual numbers of this fish from reaching their accustomed haunts in York. They have been so scarce that not a single boat was engaged in the fishery this season.

Warden Brown reports a very small catch of fish of all kinds. He still expresses his opinion that the great cause of the steady decrease of fish in the upper Counties is excessive fishing in the harbour of St. John and its approaches, and he suggests a very novel, but not a very practicable, mode of reducing this evil. He says:—"I would suggest the disallowance of all fishing until the 1st July, both in the harbour of St. John and in the river, and its continuance later in the fall—say until 1st October." No doubt this would benefit the river fishermen for a year or two; but Mr. Brown's anticipations of any lasting improvement would be sadly disappointed.

SUNBURY COUNTY.

Overseer Hoben reports a good fishing season in his county. Salmon were about the same as last year, bass much more numerous. This fishery has been vigourously pursued, and considerable numbers were taken by hook and line, as well as by nets. Alewives were more numerous than they have been for several years, and shad were also in larger numbers. Pickerel have become important, and their pursuit is now

one of the industries of the county. Large quantities were taken and shipped in ice to American markets, while the local markets have been well supplied. Attention is also being given to the catch of perch, for which there is a ready sale in Boston and New York. There were comparatively few sturgeons caught in Sunbury this season—the upward passage of this fish having been prevented by the number of nets set at the lower reaches of the river. Mr. Hoben reports that the law has been generally well respected and the close seasons observed, so that no fines were imposed, nor any seizures made, during the season.

QUEEN'S COUNTY.

Overseer Hetherington reports a good catch of alewives and shad. Bass are becoming so numerous that preparations will be made for pursuing this fishery next season. Pickerel and white perch have become an article of export to American markets, and the business of catching them will afford remunerative employment to residents along the river. Sturgeons were not so numerous as last year—the great bulk of the catch having been made in King's County. There does not seem to be any increase in the catch of salmon in Queen's. Late in the season, considerable numbers were seen in Canaan and Salmon Rivers, and it is feared that many of these fell a prey to poachers, after the close time commenced, as the upper waters of these rivers afford every facility for illegal fishing.

KING'S COUNTY.

Overseer Belyea, of Westfield and Bellisle District, reports no improvement in the catch of salmon. Alewives were more plentiful than usual, and a very good catch was made. Bass are increasing in numbers and more attention is being given to their capture, as the fish finds a ready sale in local markets, while the demand for export is unlimited.

The sturgeon fishery was industriously pursued this season, and almost all the fishing was done in this county. The number caught, as compared with that of last year, shows a great decrease. Mr. Belyea has paid close attention to the spawning time of this fish, and he is convinced that any extension of the fishing season after the last of August will be unwise, as most of the fish taken in June, July and August were gravid. If the open season is extended beyond that date, very few will escape to deposit their spawn.

Overseer Gosline, of Kennebecasis River and its tributaries, reports no perceptible increase in the number of salmon in these waters. Shad and alewives were not so plentiful as last year. Bass and trout continue as numerous as ever; but, except for sport, these are not pursued in the district. Some sturgeon boats made a trial of the lower part of the river, but their success was not encouraging, and their fishing was confined to the mouth of the river in the district of Overseer Belyea.

ST. JOHNS COUNTY.

Overseer O'Brien, of the Harbour District, reports as follows:—"The past season has been a prosperous one to our fishermen generally, and there has been a decided improvement in the catch of the principal kinds of fish. A most gratifying increase is shown in the catch of salmon, which has encouraged fishermen to think that this fishery may last many years yet. The catch of alewives shows a large increase over that of last year, but this increase caused a reduction in price. The herring fishery is coming to the front as a profitable industry; and preparations are being made by fishermen to pursue it more extensively. The bounty has given it an impetus, and a number of new vessels are to be built. The demand for frozen herrings and bloaters is growing greater every year, and, notwithstanding the increased catch during the past season, the demand was greater than the supply. Many experienced fishermen are foretelling serious evil from the present mode of catching small herrings used as sardines. This mode is known as "driving;" and the use of parafine oil and cotton waste for torches is loudly denounced. The oil falls on the water, and, as is well-known, it possesses properties destructive to fish life. It is confidently said that its

evil effects will soon be visible in driving the fish from our shores. This objectionable mode of fishing is pursued principally by Americans, and our fishermen are complaining that the practice is tolerated in our waters, while it is not allowed in American waters. I am of opinion that this mode of fishing should be prohibited. An improved catch of shad was made in the spring; but fall fishing was poor. I beg to reiterate my oft-repeated statement, that the immense extent to which drifting in the Bay is pursued, tends to destroy the harbour fishing by breaking up the schools which are approaching the river. In the harbour the greatest evil that now exists is the destruction of young alewives by the weirs. If some means could be devised to prevent this, a permanent improvement might be looked for in this fishery. I have kept a strict watch to prevent Sunday fishing, and have had to prosecute a number of delinquents. I now find less difficulty in enforcing the weekly close time."

Overseer Skillen, of St. Martin's District, reports a falling off in the catch of this season as compared with that of last year. He says: "Line fishing, on the whole, was not so good, and fewer men were engaged in it than in former years. Some of them engaged in lobster fishing as an experiment, and the result shows that this shell fish is plentiful from Mispeck to Roger's Head, the size and quality good. The greatest catch of herrings made in this district last season was when the fish came in to spawn. It is a pity that all the well-known spawning places of herring are not protected. It seems like wholesale slaughter to see so many herrings taken while spawning. Codfish and halibut are generally plentiful around Quaco Ledges, but owing to rough weather and prevailing fogs last season, vessels could not pursue these fisheries to advantage. Salmon were numerous in the fall and ascended the rivers freely. I have had a great deal of trouble with the Nova Scotia fishermen about the Sunday close time. They say they are allowed to set their net on any part of the Nova Scotia coast on Sunday, and think they are very harshly dealt with when prevented from doing so here. The fish way in Salmon River is kept in good order, and fish have no difficulty in passing it. I have improved the sluice-way in the dam over Mosher's river and made a good passage for fish through it. The law has been generally respected in the district, and no complaints have been made against the mills.

CHARLOTTE COUNTY.

Overseer Todd, of St. Croix District, reports a falling off in the catch of all kinds of fish except salmon which continue to increase. The fish-ways have been kept open during the season, and all are in good repair except that at Baring, which is on the American side of the channel, and out of my jurisdiction. The guardian employed to prevent night drifting for salmon, has done good service, and almost put a stop to this destructive work. Through the liberality of Prof. Baird, U. S. Fish Commissioner, and the kindness of the Maine Commissioners, Messrs. Stilwell and Stanley, nearly 300,000 young salmon have been hatched and deposited in the head waters of St. Croix River during last season, the benefit of which it is hoped, will be apparent in a few years.

Overseer Cunningham, of St. Andrew's Bay District, reports an increased catch of herrings, for which the demand was brisk and prices good. Small herrings used as sardines, continued plentiful; but the supply was not equal to the demand, and better prices were obtained. The practice of taking herring in the manner called "driving," is loudly complained of by net and weir fishermen. There is no doubt that this is a most objectionable mode of fishing, and should be prohibited. Mackerel fishing has been a total failure this season. Only a few barrels were taken for home consumption. The usual schools of this fish did not enter the bay this season. There is a small increase in cod, haddock, pollack and hake; but there has been less attention than formly given to the pursuit of these fishes, in consequence of the better profit derived from the herring fishery. Since the demand for sardines has arisen, fishermen are fully employed nearer home. Lobsters continue plentiful and are even increasing since the canning factory has curtailed its operations. Only 100 cases were put up at St. Andrews this season, in consequence of the demand for fresh lobsters having raised

the price to a point which made canning improfitable. Mr. Hartt, the proprietor, has gone into the sardine business, which he finds more remunnerative. On the subject of the weekely close time, Mr. Cunningham observes:—"No violation of the law came under my notice; I did the best I could with the means at my disposal to prevent any; but when the extent of the district, the number of vessels fishing and the roughness of the weather in winter, are considered, it will be apparent that when fishermen try to evade the law by leaving nets set over Sunday, it is impossible to detect them in an open boat."

Overseer Best, of Beaver Harbour District, reports a good season's fishing. Cod, pollack, and lobsters show a decreased catch in consequence of a less active pursuit; herring fishing nearer home offering greater facilities and more profit. Haddock, hake and herrings have given better returns than last year. The herring fishery is now the most important business in the district, and great activity is displayed in seeking for good sites and building new weirs where old ones have not proved remunerative. Mr. Best also urges the prohibition of "driving" herring with oil torches, as this mode of fishing will, he thinks, drive the herring out of the small bays and coves in which they seek food and shelter.

Overseer Lord, of Latête and West Isles District, reports as follows:—"The catch of line fish, with the exception of cod and pollack, falls far short compared with previous years. Those of our fishermen who had suitable vessels and apparatus for fishing in the mouth of the Bay of Fundy have done well, as cod, haddock, hake, sounds and oil have brought better prices than usual. The opinion appears to be general that line fish will never again be so low in price as they have been for many years past. Every season our fishermen are obliged to go further from home and provide more expensive outfits in trawles and lines, in order to meet the demand for these fish. There has been a falling off in the catch of large herrings in this district, the schools of fish having kept more to the north between Latête and Point Lepreau, which many old fishermen say is one of the results of "driving." Of small herrings, used as sardines, this season's catch has been about the same as the last; but they have brought a much better price - about an average of $10 per hogshead. Comparatively few herrings have been smoked. The increased price of sardines made these pay better, as all the expenses of salting and smoking has been saved. As long as the demand for sardines continues at the present prices, the production of smoked herring in this district will be very small; but this will be an advantage to the fishermen of Grand Manan, where larger quantities will naturally be handled until more rapid transit enables them to get their small herrings to the factories at Eastport. I cannot help again referring to the very detrimental practice of "driving" herring. This is done principally by American fishermen, who in the pursuit disturb and injure the fishing of the weirs. Complaints are constantly made of the damage done by these "drivers" around the weirs, disturbing the fish and scaring them from the neighbourhood. As this mode of fishing, if continued, is certain to drive the schools from our shores, it should be strictly prohibited. I am pleased to report that a better class of fishing vessels and boats is coming into use here, and that this district has now a fleet of fishing craft which, for beauty, speed and sea-worthiness, cannot be surpassed by any vessels of their size. I have much pleasure in reporting that I have had no fines to impose, nor any seizures to make this season; our fishermen, as a rule, being willing to obey the laws and comply with regulations made for their own benefit."

Overseer Brown, of Campo Bello, sends a report distinguished only by its brevity. It is as follows:—"I herewith send you a return of vessels, boats, nets, weirs and the fish, etc., in my district, and I here say that the catch of all kinds of fish has been very small this year, and I cannot account for the cause of this decrease. The weirs especially did but very little and several of them have been abandoned."

Overseer McLaughlin, of Grand Manan, reports as follows:—"The year's fishing in my district has been very successful, and will compare favourably with that of our best years, both as regards the catch of fish and the prices obtained. Mackerel have been numerous in our waters, but our fishermen have been so long out of this fishery

that they have not now suitable vessels in which to pursue it, consequently all that were taken were caught in herring nets and weirs. The herring fishery has been successful. The catch for smoking has far exceeded that of any previous year. After forwarding my annual returns last year the weirs in Cheenay and Cow Passages, that had failed up to that time, took a tremendous catch of fine herrings. The run was so great that in a few days the people of White Head put up between three or four hundred thousand boxes. Since then these weirs have had only partial success; but many others have been successful. Sardine herrings have been taken in small quantities in several weirs, the first for many years. These have sold for $8 to $10 per hogshead. Some of the weirs under license have been abandoned as failures. Others have not been built this season, the owners holding on in the hope that a change in the tides will bring them into use again. I find much trouble in collecting the license fees from some of the weir holders, having to travel long distances several times before they are paid. Line fishing has been good, and will compare favourably with our best years. Our vessels have not left the Bay of Fundy for fares this season, the "bankers" having found remunerative employment in freighting the large catches of last winter to Boston and New York. Most of our tonnage has been employed in freighting the catches of our boats. Lobsters about as usual. Good prices in the markets of the neighbouring States have led our fishermen to "smack" the whole catch to Maine in our large unregistered boats. For this reason, the canning establishments at Grand Harbour and Seal Cove were not in operation this summer. A factory for the preparation of fish guano has been in operation at North Head the present year, which will enable fishermen to dispose of their "gurry" or fish offals, instead of allowing it to rot on the beaches. I see, from year to year, a steady increase in the number of transient and foreign fishermen in the waters of Grand Manan. While I now write (Dec. 28), I can count from my window more than fifty sail of vessels and boats, mostly Americans, fishing for cod and herrings in the neighbourhood of Southern Head. In my opinion, the time is not far distant when some more extensive means will have to be adopted to regulate the fishing, and compel fishermen to respect not only the regulations, but each other's property. Many thefts have been committed by these transient fishermen; my boats crew took several stolen anchors from one of their boats, which the thief said he had *picked up adrift*. I find also a lawless disposition developing among our own people. Warden Gilmore was attacked by four residents while performing his duty. As I had no proof that these men had violated the Fisheries Act, I could only prosecute them for assault. Several nets seized by the Warden were stolen from his barn in the night. The district is too large for the supervision of one overseer. An intelligent man, with Magisterial power, should be appointed at North Head, and another at White Head."

From the foregoing, Your Honor will observe the measures that are most needed to improve the fisheries service of this Province. Since the organization of this service, the circumstances of many districts have essentially changed; new branches of fishing have arisen, old branches have been greatly developed, more men and materials are now employed; more ingenious modes of poaching have been adopted, and the duties of officers have much increased. The scale of salaries originally fixed was ill-calculated to secure the services of competent and faithful men to undertake the unpleasant duties required of them. Many of these salaries are now quite too small to remunerate Overseers and Wardens for the increased duties they now have to perform, and the re-adjustment of them has become necessary. Provision ought also to be made, without further loss of time, to secure better protection for the spawning grounds of salmon, herring and lobsters. I would again recommend these and some other matters which I have made special reports to your favourable consideration.

I have the honour to be, Sir,
Your obedient servant
W. H. VENNING,
Inspector of Fisheries, N.B.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries; Quantity and Value of Fishing Material; Kinds and Quantities of Fish, and the Total Number of Men employed, &c., in the Province of New Brunswick for the Year 1882.

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.							
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.
			$			$			$		$								
Restigouche.																			
From Tide Head to Dalhousie	...	.....	.....	.....	36	360	36	7810	7810 00	.....	.....	...	55183	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
From Dalhousie to Belledune	...	.....	.....	.....	80	15	100	9555	4777 50	.....	.....	...	62008	.....	31400	.....	5370	1100	.....
Totals	...	.....	.....	.....	116	375	136	17365	12587 50	.....	.....	...	117191	.....	31400	.....	5370	1100	.....
Gloucester.																			
Petit Rocher	...	.....	.....	.....	90	1500	150	4990	4990 00	.....	.....	...	60000	.....	2000	75	75000	1500	.....
Bathurst	...	.....	.....	.....	30	600	60	6053	6053 00	.....	.....	...	75000	.....	.....	500	.....	350	.....
New Bandon	...	.....	.....	.....	100	2000	200	4722	4722 00	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	300	6500	2000	.....
Caraquet	...	.....	.....	.....	114	16800	349	2540	1640 00	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	18	384	6880	.....
Shippegan	10	119	3400	34	180	14340	397	4700	2820 00	.....	.....	...	18952	.....	4450	15	14324	1500	.....
Pokemouche	...	.....	.....	.....	60	700	100	3500	2000 00	.....	.....	...	14000	.....	.....	40	.....	150	.....
Tracadie	2	.....	120	8	36	1800	128	20000	2400 00	.....	.....	...	4000	.....	.....	120	.....	4000	.....
Totals	12	119	3520	42	610	37740	1384	46505	24625 00	.....	.....	...	171952	.....	6450	1068	96208	16380	.....

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick—*Continued.*

DISTRICT.	KINDS OF FISH.																FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, galls.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	
Restigouche.																			$ cts.
From Tide Head to Dalhousie.	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	11,036 60
From Dalhousie to Belledune.	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	1000	.....	.....	82400	.....	...	.....	36,337 10
Totals.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	1000	.....	.....	82400	.....	...	.....	47,373 70
Gloucester.																			
Petit Rocher.....	.....	1000	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	395300	.....	...	.....	93,945 00
Bathurst.....	.....	2500	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10000	.....	250500	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	47,655 00
New Bandon.....	.....	3200	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	401256	.....	...	.....	85,763 40
Caraquet.....	.....	8400	.....	...	317	146	.....	.....	.....	3000	4000	26196	28	3000	250000	1920	...	1500	115,819 86
Shippegan.....	.....	7728	.....	...	825	370	6300	.....	.....	9380	.....	92730	53	27	1223130	4200	...	7200	246,867 60
Pokemouche.....	70	200	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000	4000	350500	100	.....	250000	70	...	.....	64,765 50
Tracadie.....	800	2500	.....	...	500	.....	20	.....	.....	20000	40000	10000	200	.....	200000	300	...	.....	69,771 20
Totals.....	870	25528	.....	...	1642	516	6320	.....	.....	44380	48000	729926	381	3027	2719686	6490	...	8700	724,587 56

Return showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick—*Continued.*

District.	Vessels and Boats Employed in Fishing.							Fishing Material.				Kinds of Fish.							
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage	Value.	Men.	No.	Value	Men.	Fathoms	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, brls.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, brls.	Herring smoked in boxes.
Northumberland.			$			$			$										
Tabusintac Bay and River	...	.....	.....	.....	18	720	36	449	390	.....	.....	...	2169	.....	.....	.....	2964	710	
Portage Island to Grand Dune	3	24	600	6	100	3000	200	11234	3370	.....	.....	...	55880	.....	.....	50	9000	2000	400
Grand Dune to Chatham Ferry	...	.....	.....	.....	44	640	39	5000	2430	.....	.....	...	41650	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Point Escuminac, Huckleberry, Egg, Fox and Bay du Vin Islands and Bay	...	.....	.....	.....	132	2640	264	18500	277500	.....	.....	...	126880	.....	500	.....	100	200	.....
Bay du Vin to Beaubair's Island	...	.....	.....	.....	60	200	20	4000	1200	.....	.....	...	50000	100	.....	100	.....	.....	.....
Chatham Ferry to Head Waters North-West	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3416	2000	.....	.....	...	59615	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Beaubair's Island to Blackville	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	24000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Blackville	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	20000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Blissfield	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	200	.....	.....	20	4000	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Doaktown to Hovey Island	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	450	300	.....	.....	...	280	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hovey Island to Burnt Hill	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	3	24	600	6	354	7200	559	43149	287390	.....	.....	25	385374	120	500	150	12064	2910	400
Kent.																			
From Escuminac to Richibucto	6	200	5300	19	290	4800	1230	7800	10000	.....	.....	...	50000	.....	.....	.....	5000	95	.....
Richibucto to Buctouche	4	65	1650	12	265	4240	530	12500	6250	.....	.....	...	659	.....	.....	240	.....	1200	.....
Buctouche Bay and River	1	27	300	2	113	2612	342	7140	2529	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	115	.....	437	.....
Cocagne	...	.....	.....	.....	240	3840	480	12000	6000	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	2200	.....
Totals	11	292	7250	33	908	15492	2582	39440	24779	.....	.....	...	50659	.....	.....	480	5000	3932	.....

DISTRICT.	KINDS OF FISH.																FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
	Alewives, brls.	Cod, cwt.	Cod, Tongues & Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Shad, brls.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, brls.	Oysters, brls.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, galls.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, brls.	
Northumberland.																				$ cts.
Tabusintac Bay and River	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000	149034	20	50	160756	.....	.....	...	.....	37,223 84
Portage Island to Grand Dune	.....	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27400	1000	66852	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	30,331 12
Grand Dune to Chatham Ferry.	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2059	900	356322	.....	90	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	30,228 86
Point Escuminac, Huckleberry, Egg, Fox and Bay du Vin Islands and Bay	40	100	.....	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	25879	.....	800	92500	.....	150	...	1000	45,986 24
Bay du Vin to Beaubair's Island	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	50	2250	170	835000	10	100	92500	.....	.....	...	2000	77,739 20
Chatham Ferry to Head Waters North-West	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	85607	6730	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	17,499 22
Beaubair's Island to Blackville.	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	5,296 00
Blackville	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	4,000 00
Blissfield	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1,184 00
Doaktown to Hovey Island	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	80 00
Hovey Island to Burnt Hill	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	340 00
Totals	409	900	.....	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	70	117316	10900	1433087	44	1040	345756	.....	150	...	3000	24,9899 48
Kent.																				
From Escuminac to Richibucto	70	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20000	2000	195000	120	70	911000	55	.....	...	.....	164,381 25
Richibucto to Buctouche	85	200	17	100	30	200	...	.....	.....	900	300	.....	12	.....	486081	.....	250	...	.....	83,050 45
Buctouche Bay and River	115	45	....	2	.....	7	.....	.....	.....	9060	1925	73878	103	1162	242176	.....	25	...	15	49,435 68
Cocagne	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2500	550	33903	50	520	400700	.....	.....	...	.....	74,628 18
Totals	330	330	17	102	30	207	.....	.....	.....	32460	4775	302781	285	1752	2039997	55	275	...	15	371,495 56

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick—*Continued.*

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.							
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, brls.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, brls.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.
Westmoreland.			$			$			$		$								
Shediac and Botsford	...	.....	.....	...	520	7,800	1,040	3,500	3,500	.....	.....	...	500	.....	.....	600	2,000	8,500	2,000
Bay Verte and Sackville	...	.....	.....	...	26	650	50	1,970	400	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	2,000	500
Dorchester Bay and Cumberland Basin	...	.....	.....	...	59	690	114	15,450	2,860	.....	.....	..	2,160	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....
Totals	...	.....	.....	...	605	9,140	1,204	20,920	6,760	.....	.....	...	2,660	.....	.....	620	2,000	10,540	2,500
Albert.																			
From Hopewell Point to Wolf River	...	....	... .	...	23	535	95	2,800	900	4	400	16	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	185	120
Victoria.																			
From Grand Falls to Carleton Co. line	...	.....	.....	...	50	160	100	750	600	.....	.....	...	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....
Carleton.																			
From Carleton County line to York Co.	...	.....	.....	...	25	25	50	500	250	15	30	...	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
York County.																			
From York Co. line to Sunbury Co. line	...	.....	.....	...	40	2,000	40	400	2,000	.....	.....	20	5,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick—*Continued.*

DISTRICT.	KINDS OF FISH.																	FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
	Alewives, brls.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Shad, brls.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, brls.	Oysters, brls.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, galls.	Fish Guano, tons	Fish used as Manure, brls.	
Westmoreland.																				$
Shediac and Botsford	..	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	5,000	3,500	356,330	170	40	723,936	40	.....	...	8,000	178,230 20
Baie Verte and Sackville	150	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	250	3,000	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	10	.....	...	.....	11,459 00
Dorchester Bay and Cumberland Basin	....	70	.....	20	25	.....	.....	...	1,630	.....	.....	6,000	.....	.....	.....	...	105	...	.....	14,515 25
Total	150	70	.....	20	25	.....	.....	...	1,880	8,000	3,500	362,330	176	40	723,936	50	105		8,000	204,204 45
Albert.																				
From Hopewell Point to Wolf River	75	35	.....	10	74	22	11	...	5	700	9,200	6,000	.....	.....	.....	...	65	...	.....	2,914 66
Victoria.																				
From Grand Falls to Carleton Co. line	....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	12	.....	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	201 04
Carleton.																				
From Carleton County line to York Co.	....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	320 00
York.																				
From York Co. line to Sunbury Co. line	....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	1,544 00

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick.—*Continued.*

DISTRICTS.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.					
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.							
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Mackerel, brls.	Herring, brls.	Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.
			$ cts.			$ cts.			$ cts.		$ cts.						
Sunbury.																	
French Lake	...	.....	.....	.....	25	375	50	1,000	300	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oromocto River	...	.....	.....	.....	20	350	45	500	150	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sheffield	...	.....	.....	.....	10	160	25	550	200	...	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Maguapet Lake	...	.....	.....	.....	15	300	30	600	480	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hart's Lake	...	.....	.....	.....	10	200	25	400	200	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
River St. John	...	.....	.....	.....	40	600	80	600	300	...	.....	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Oromocto Lake	...	.....	.....	.....	30	450	60	600	300	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Otnabog Lake	...	.....	.....	.....	10	150	20	400	150	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand Lake	...	.....	.....	.....	20	300	40	500	150	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	.....	.....	.....	180	2,885	375	5,150	2,230	...	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Queen's.																	
From Queen's Co. line to King's Co.	...	.....	.....	.....	115	2,300	200	6,000	30,000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
King's.																	
Westfield and Belle Isle	...	.....	.....	.....	85	1,015	125	6,360	3,274			8,712	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kennebecassis	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....
Totals	...	.....	.....	.....	85	1,015	125	6,360	3,274	...	.....	8,712	.....	.....	12	.....	.....

RETURN Showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick—*Continued.*

DISTRICTS.	KINDS OF FISH.															FISH PRODUCTS.		VALUE.
	Alewives, brls.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Shad, brls.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Perch, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Eels, brls.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, galls.	Fish Guano, tons.	
																		$ cts.
Sunbury.																		
French Lake	400								25					10				1,890 00
Oromocto River	100									1,500				20				670 00
Sheffield	100									4,000								680 00
Maguapet Lake	150								25	20,000								2,000 00
Hart's Lake	100								25	1,000								660 00
River St. John	200								100	10,000								2,220 00
Oromocto Lake	300									1,500				20				1,470 00
Otnabog Lake	100									1,000								460 00
Grand Lake	100								20	2,000								680 00
												35,000	120,000					9,300 00
Totals	1,550								195	41,000		35,000	120,000	50				20,030 00
Queen's.																		
From Queen's Co. line to King's Co.	2,000							17,605	350	400	300			10		200	1	12,133 30
King's.																		
Westfield and Belle Isle	343							264,745	36	2,250						1,782		20,580 40
Kennebecassis	10				20				60	1,200	400			10				824 00
Totals	353				20			264,745	99	3,450	400			10		1,782		21,404 40

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick—*Continued.*

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.							
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, brls.	Herring, brls.	Herrings, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked in boxes.
St. John.			$			$			$		$								
From Point Wolf to Quaco Head	24	435	10000	120	37	650	125	2000	5500	2	200	...	.....	.....	.....	10	3500	.....	.....
From Quaco Head to Point Lepreaux, including St. John Harbor	58	1300	29500	350	305	11000	740	100000	72000	32	10000	...	267300	.....	.....	.....	16000	2000000	36000
Totals	82	1735	39500	470	342	11650	865	102000	77500	34	10200	...	267300	.....	.....	10	19500	2000000	36000
Charlotte.																			
St. Croix	...	.....	.....	.....	32	2080	96	140	84	5	200	...	4000	.....	.....	80	250	.....	.....
Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy	6	94	3500	32	74	3900	101	4600	2400	13	6650	...	.....	.....	.....	5	780	5600000	.....
Lepreaux, Beaver Harbor and Back Bay	26	369	13210	126	72	1800	144	15800	7920	29	15000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	18000	5000000	30000
Deer Island and La Tete	15	220	7150	75	280	20500	350	16700	9300	[illegible]	36400	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	10000	3000000	61000
Campo Bello	16	247	5900	54	130	6360	133	9353	9353	34	6800	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	20144	77200	243950
Grand Manan	20	650	18000	100	450	38000	475	17000	8000	44	22000	...	.....	.....	.....	150	18000	2000000	700000
Totals	83	1580	47760	387	1038	72640	1299	63593	37057	221	87050	...	4000	.....	.....	235	67174	15677200	1034950

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage, and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick—*Continued*

DISTRICT.	KINDS OF FISH.																	FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
	Alewives, brls.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Hake Sounds, lbs.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Sardines, hhds.	Eels, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, galls.	Fish Guano, tons	Fish used as manure, brls.	
St. John.																					$ cts.
From Point Wolfe to Quaco Head	.....	1000	.....	800	75	.....	300	4000	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	23,162 50
From Quaco Head to Point Lepreaux, including St. John Harbor	17037	7500	80	1500	2500	.....	2500	20000	2000	1200	3000	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	80	1000	.....	.....	272,303 00
Totals	17037	8500	80	2300	2575	.....	2800	24000	2000	1220	3000	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	90	1000	.....	.....	295,465 50
Charlotte.																					
St. Croix	360	110	.....	.....	.....	.....	170	.....	.....	.....	.....	4000	3500	100	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,152 50
Inner Bay of Passamaquoddy	30	275	.....	200	200	200	180	.....	.....	.....	....	1800	.....	1707	...	4800	60	3450	75	200	45,426 25
Lepreaux, Beaver Harbor and Back Bay	.....	5000	75	1500	22000	22000	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20000	...	.....	100	14000	500	450	382,850 00
Deér Island and La Tete	.....	500	.....	950	6500	8100	2600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5000	...	.....	81	12500	45	.....	153,880 00
Campo Bello	.....	239	.....	1917	4160	5200	1262	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	278	..	.....	69	4906	50	.....	181,451 45
Grand Manan	.....	2000	20	4000	28000	28000	3000	200500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	...	.....	467	40000	75	2000	471,005 00
Totals	390	8124	95	8567	60860	63500	12212	200500	.....	.....	.....	5800	3500	27285	...	4800	777	74856	745	2650	1,240,765 20

RECAPITULATION showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—New Brunswick—*Continued.*

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.				KINDS OF FISH.											
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.													
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.	Herring, per 100, frozen.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.
			$			$			$		$												
Ristigouche	....	.....	.....	.....	116	375	136	17365	12588	....	.....	...	117191	....	31400	.....	5370	1100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gloucester	12	119	3520	42	610	37740	1384	46505	24625	....	.....	...	171952	....	6450	1068	96208	16380	.....	.....	870	25528	.....
Northumberland	3	24	600	6	354	7200	559	43149	287390	....	.....	25	385374	120	590	150	12064	2910	.....	400	409	900	.....
Kent	11	292	7250	33	908	15492	2582	39440	24779	....	.....	...	50659	....	.....	480	5000	3932	.....	.....	330	330	17
Westmoreland	....	.....	.....	.....	605	9140	1204	20920	6760	....	.....	...	2660	....	.....	620	2000	10540	.....	2500	150	70	.....
Albert	....	.....	.....	.....	23	535	95	2800	900	4	400	16	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	185	.....	120	75	35	.....
Victoria	....	.....	.....	.....	50	160	100	750	600	....	.....	...	500	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Carleton	....	.....	.....	.....	25	25	50	500	250	15	30	...	800	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
York	....	.....	.....	.....	40	2000	40	400	2000	....	.....	20	5000	....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
* Sunbury	....	.....	.....	.....	180	2885	375	5150	2230	....	.....	...	300	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1550	.....	.....
Queen's	....	.....	.....	.....	115	2300	200	6000	30000	....	.....	...	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000	.....	.....
King's	....	.....	.....	.....	85	1015	125	6360	3274	....	.....	...	8712	....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	353	.....	.....
St. John	82	1735	39500	470	342	11650	865	102000	77500	34	10200	...	267300	....	.....	10	.....	19500	2000000	36000	17037	8500	80
Charlotte	83	1580	47760	387	1038	72640	1299	63593	37057	221	87050	...	4000	....	.....	235	.....	67174	15677200	1034950	390	8124	95
Totals	191	3750	98630	938	4491	163157	9014	354932	509953	274	97680	61	1014448	120	38350	2563	120642	121743	17677200	1073970	23164	43487	192

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NEW BRUNSWICK—*Concluded.*

DISTRICT.	KINDS OF FISH.															FISH PRODUCTS.			VALUE.
	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Hake, Sounds, lbs.	Haddock, cwt.	Halibut, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Shad, barrels.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Sardines, hhds.	Eels, barrels.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Lobsters, tons.	Fish Oil, galls.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as Manure, barrels.	$ cts.
Ristigouche	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	500	1000	.....	.....	.....	82400	.....	.....	.....	.....	47,373 70
Gloucester	.....	1642	.....	516	6320	.....	.....	44380	48000	729926	.....	381	3027	2719686	.....	6490	.....	8700	724,587 56
Northumberland	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	117316	10900	1433087	.....	44	1048	345756	.....	150	.....	3000	249,899 48
Kent	102	30	.....	207	.....	.....	.....	32460	4775	302781	.....	285	1752	2039997	55	275	.....	15	371,495 56
Westmoreland	20	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	1880	8000	3500	362330	.....	176	40	723936	50	105	.....	8000	204,204 45
Albert	10	74	.....	22	11	.....	5	700	9200	6000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	.....	.....	2,914 66
Victoria	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	84	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	201 04
Carleton	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	320 00
York	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,544 00
* Sunbury	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	195	41000	.....	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,730 00
Queen's	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17605	350	400	300	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	200	1	.....	12,133 30
King's	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	264745	96	3450	400	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	1782	.....	.....	21,404 40
St. John	2300	2575	.....	2800	24000	2000	1220	3000	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	90	1000	.....	.....	295,465 50
Charlotte	8567	60860	63500	12212	200500	.....	.....	.....	5800	3500	27285	.....	.....	4800	777	74856	745	2650	1,240,765 20
	Perch and pickerel from below																		9,300 00
Totals	10999	65376	63500	15757	230831	284350	3866	250706	83459	2838624	27285	996	5859	5916575	972	84923	746	22365	3,192,338 85

* 35,000 lbs. perch, at 6c. per lb., $2,100; 120,000 lbs. pickerel, at 6c. per lb., $7,200.

Recapitulation of the Yield and Value of Fisheries of New Brunswick, during the Year 1882.

Kinds of Fish.		Quantities.	Price.	Value.
			$ cts.	$ cts.
Salmon, pickled	brls.	61	18 00	1,098 00
do fresh on ice	lbs.	1,014,448	0 20	202,889 60
do smoked	"	120	0 20	24 00
do preserved in cans	"	38,350	0 20	7,670 00
Mackerel	brls.	2,563	10 00	25,630 00
do	cans.	120,642	0 15	18,096 30
Herring	brls.	121,743	4 00	486,972 00
do frozen	per 100	17,677,200	0 40	70,708 80
do smoked	boxes.	1,073,970	0 25	268,492 50
Alewives	brls	23,164	4 00	92,656 00
Cod	cwt.	43,487	4 25	184,819 75
Cod, Tongues and Sounds	brls.	192	7 00	1,344 00
Pollock	cwt.	10,999	3 50	38,496 50
Hake	"	65,376	3 50	228,816 00
Hake Sounds	lbs.	63,500	1 00	63,500 00
Haddock	cwt.	15,757	3 50	55,149 50
Halibut	lbs.	230,831	0 06	13,849 86
Sturgeon	"	284,350	0 06	17,061 00
Shad	brls.	3,866	8 00	30,928 00
Bass	lbs.	250,706	0 06	15,042 36
Trout	"	83,459	0 06	5,007 54
Smelt	"	2,838,624	0 06	170,317 44
Pickerel	"	120,000	0 06	7,200 00
Perch	"	35,000	0 06	2,100 00
Sardines	hhds.	27,285	6 00	163,710 00
Eels	brls.	996	9 00	8,964 00
Oysters	"	5,859	3 00	17,577 00
Lobsters, preserved	cans.	5,916,575	0 15	887,486 25
do fresh	tons.	972	30 00	29,160 00
Fish Oil	galls.	84,923	0 65	55,199 95
Fish Guano	tons.	746	15 00	11,190 00
Fish used as Manure	brls.	22,365	0 50	11,182 50
Total, 1882				3,192,338 85
do 1881				2,930,904 58
Increase				261,434 27

No. 3.

QUEBEC.

GASPÉ, 31st December, 1882.

The Hon. A. W. McLELAN,

Minister of Marine and Fisheries,

Ottawa.

SIR,—I have the honor to submit herewith my Annual Report of the Fisheries for the Gulf Division, together with the usual statistics. By these it will be seen that there has been a considerable falling off in the total value as compared with the previous season :—

Total value of Gulf fisheries in 1881.....	$2,410,937 81
Total value of Gulf fisheries in 1882.....	1,560,764 59
Decrease in 1882.....	$850,173 22

This decrease is due mainly to the failure of the ice seal fishery on the North Shore, and at the Magdalen Islands, and of the summer cod fishery on the Labrador. The failure of these two important fisheries has not been felt seriously by the fishing population, from the fact that all kinds of fish and oil have sold high, much higher than for some years, while the provisions which our fishing population have to import were low.

COD.

This, the principal fishery of the Gulf, shows a very considerable diminution when compared with last year. The failure was greatest on the lower north shore. It was due entirely to the lateness of the spring and the roughness of the early summer. The currents in the Gulf are so much influenced by the direction and strength of the wind, that for days after a breeze the hand and line fishermen are unable to prosecute their fishing—though the sea may have fallen, owing to the force of the current preventing the hook, even when heavily leaded, from reaching the bottom. In the upper reaches of the river the cod seems to be surely failing. The fishermen attribute this, and with some show of reason, to the increasing numbers of the white porpoise that prey continually on the capelin and other small fish on which the cod feed. The fishery on that part of the Gaspé coast, between Gaspe Bay and Newport, was good during what is known as the "fall fishing," especially owing to the reported failure of the Norwegian fishery, and the short catch on the Labrador, the price of cod was unusually high. There was also a much greater demand in our own home markets, that is to say in Quebec, Montreal, and Halifax. In times past a few cargoes of green fish would glut the markets of Quebec and Montreal, but now a greater demand is being developed. I attribute this in part to the increased general prosperity, but more to the good working of the Fish Inspection Act. Before the pas-

sing of this Act so much damaged fish and fish offal, was sent to these ports that few people cared about purchasing our fish. Now things are different. There is a very general outcry among the fishermen on the Labrador, whether residents or from Nova Scotia and the Magdalen Islands, against the use of the seine by Newfoundland vessels. These complaints are general, being made by fishermen from the Maritime Provinces as well as by our own fishermen. As this matter will be made the subject of a special report I will say no more about it here, but merely point to the fact that when the same complaint was made a few years ago it was not entertained, because, coming from the large fishing firms, it was argued that it was not made in the interest of the fishermen generally; now, however, the complaints come from the actual fishermen.

SALMON.

The salmon fishery at last shows signs of improvement. For several years past salmon fishermen had been getting disheartened, in fact this season a good many had not been fitted out for it, but now there is a general feeling of confidence, and I for one fully believe that we will have a good fishery next year. Everything points to it, an increased catch this year from fewer stations, all the rivers full of fish, and an especially large number of small salmon (grilse.) The fishing season was a poor one—a late spring, stormy and cold, continuous and heavy freshets in most of the rivers, so much so that nets had to be taken up for days during the very height of the season—in spite of all these drawbacks the increase in the catch was considerable. Strange to say the improvement was more marked on the north shore and at Anticosti than on the south shore. A considerable quantity of salmon was shipped fresh from Natashquan on board the French steamer *Stella Maris*, this vessel completed her cargo at Chateau Bay in the straits of Belle Isle. The Hudson's Bay Company have fitted out a steamer for this same trade. She will take her salmon at Sandwich Bay on the outer Labrador. The owners of the *Stella Maris* propose to put a large steamer on the outer Labrador next season also for the fresh salmon trade.

HERRING.

There was a considerable increase in the quantity of herring taken this season, although the spring herring fishery at the Magdalen Islands, usually the most considerable fishery of herring in the Gulf, was a total failure. The herring usually visit Pleasant Bay during the first tides in May for the purpose of spawning, and they are followed by an immense number of vessels from the Maritime Provinces and the United States, who take these lean herring for exportation, mostly to the West Indies, where they stand the climate better than fatter herring—as many as 5,000 barrels have been taken in one haul of the seine. This spring, owing to the ice being jammed all round the islands, the vessels were not able to get near Pleasant Bay during the month of May. Some of these vessels pushed on to Fox Bay, Anticosti, as soon as they got cleared of the ice, but they were too late there also. Herring were plenty, at various points on the Gaspé and Bonaventure shore, during the summer and fall, there was therefore seldom any great scarcity of this bait. Some years ago the upper part of the Bay Chaleurs, from Bonevanture to Carleton, used to furnish a considerable herring fishery in the spring, this fishery had been gradually failing for years, until the past spring, when the herring re-appeared in the Bay in all its former abundance; this may have been due to the ice in Pleasant Bay having forced the herring to seek other spawning grounds. The herring fleet from Esquimaux Point proceeded to the coast of Newfoundland in September, and such of them as tried Port au Choix did well, the rest, some half a dozen, that kept along the Labrador did nothing. I went down in the *La Canadienne* and met the fleet on the Newfoundland coast, as complaints had been made to me, that the Collector of Customs on that part of the Newfoundland coast had compelled some of these vessels to pay a duty on the salt and barrels which

they had on board for packing their fish. Two schooners paid this duty in 1881, the *Marguerite*, Captain Cormier and the *Pioneer*, Captain LeBrun.

MACKEREL.

This fishery is not prosecuted to any extent by our Gulf fishermen, a few men in Gaspé Bay take a few barrels with the bob, and a few are taken at the Magdalen Islands, but the greater part of mackerel caught are merely such as are taken accidently in the herring nets. Most of those cured this year were of a good quality. I saw fifty barrels taken in a seine at Big Meccatina, near the western end of the Straits of Belle Isle, they made No. 2., which considering the locality, may be considered a good quality. I thing it is unfortunate that our people do not devote more attention to this fishery.

HALIBUT.

This valuable fish, which was almost exterminated some few years ago by the American halibut trawlers, is again becoming abundant. Our people do not fit out especially for this fishery, and the halibut taken by them is merely that which is taken accidentally by the hand and line cod fishermen.

LOBSTERS.

This fishery shows a very material falling off, in spite of the fact that a number of new canneries were opened. The decrease this year may be partly accounted by the lateness of spring having delayed by some weeks the fishing, the roughness of the weather during June and July also led to a great loss of traps, at the same time there is no doubt that the fishery is failing. The run of lobsters is much smaller than formerly, the limit of nine inches is being very closely measured: in fact complaints are made that the law is sometimes broken in this respect, and unless we have an overseer at each cannery, it will be difficult to carry out the law thoroughly. It seems to be the opinion of most of the lobster fishers, that a more proper time for the close season would be from the middle of July to the middle of August. There is no doubt that lobsters taken in September and October, are in better condition than those taken during the end of July and August. It might be well at the Magdalen Islands to try this change. The extension of time this season was not very generally availed of.

Seals.

The seal fishery throughout the Gulf was poor. The principal spring fisheries in schooners are made from the Magdalen Islands and Esquimaux Point, both of these were total failures. The Magdalen Island vessels could not get out in March as usual, owing to the packing of the ice on shore at Pleasant Bay, due no doubt to the prevalence of east winds. At Esquimaux Point the schooners managed to get out, but they could never get into the seal bearing ice until the young seals were old enough to take the water. Some of these schooners were in the ice for three months before they could work into open water. The sedentary seal fisheries of the north shore, where the seals are taken in nets, did well. A few seals were killed on the ice off the Magdalen Islands by people from the shore. Seals were seen on the ice from various points but the vessels, as I have before said, were unable to get near them.

BAIT.

On the south coast of the Gulf the principal bait fishes are herring, capelin, launce, squid, mackerel, clams, smelt and small trout, each of these are used in their

separate season. They were as a rule plentiful. On the north coast the principal bait is capelin; in some few localities where there are sand banks launce is found and used after the capelin run is over. Herring is not much used as it is not taken during the fishing season. A company has been formed in Newfoundland who have built at Salmon Bay in the Bonne Espérance Division, a factory for the manufacture of fish manure. This is certainly a step in the right direction, and I hope ere many years to see a number of these factories at work; in this way an immense amount of valuable fertilizing material will be saved, which is at present wasted. In the meantime, it is the opinion of most of our practical fishermen that these factories should be confined to the use of the offal, there is but little doubt that once organized and at work, they will seine herring, capelin, and mackerel for purposes of manure, as the Americans have done, first with the minhaden and latterly with mackerel. I think we should be very careful to protect our bait fishes from any wholesale destruction of this kind.

I beg herewith to append synopses of the reports of the various fishery overseers for their sub-divisions. I am happy to state that with few exceptions, these officers are attentive to their duties, I wish they were better paid. I do not think it possible for them to devote their time as fully as is desirable to their official duties on such pittances as they receive.

SOUTH SHORE.

COUNTY OF GASPÉ, CAPE CHATTE DIVISION.

Overseer Letourneau reports that the cod-fishing in his division was a failure, the cod only appeared off that part of the coast in July. At Cape Chatte none at all were taken. At Ste. Anne's the fishermen finding the fishing so poor here most of them abandoned it, and have either taken regularly to farming, or have gone to seek more lucrative employment on the railway works, or in the lumber camps; had there been as many men as usual, fishing during the fall fishery at St. Ann's, the yield would have been more considerable as fish and bait were plentiful. The salmon fishery by nets has been poor also, in fact most of the stands are abandoned. The heavy freshets in the Rivers St. Anne's and Cape Chatte have washed away the best points for fishing stands, and strange to say others have not formed as usual, a few pieces of net were tried even at points not really fit for fishing, as a natural consequence nothing was taken, and the fishermen abandoned their stations rather than go to the expense of fitting out properly. Mr. Letourneau reports the fly fishing in the Ste. Anne's River as good, but that the fish were unusually small, he went up the river fifty-four miles and found fish in all the pools, he seems to think that these are a different run of fishes from those usually found in this river, as the Ste. Anne's fish are generally large. The Cape Chatte River was not fished either with the fly or by nets. There are a great many trout in both these rivers, a large quantity is seined each fall in the estuaries for bait. A good many herrings were taken, these are used entirely for local consumption. The few mackerel taken were of a superior quality. No American vessels were seen off this coast; no capelin were taken in this neighbourhood this year.

GASPÉ DIVISION.

Overseer Vibert reports that the first salmon net was set in Gaspé Bay on the 23rd May, but owing possibly to cold weather and the lateness of the season, salmon only made their appearance on the 1st June, and at Barachois on the 7th June. In his division this fishery shows an improvement, the catch by nets being 49,444 pounds against 33,000 in 1881. Fishermen at Grand River and Pabos were satisfied with their catch of fish.

There has been a good increase in the catch of codfish at most stations over last year, especially from the middle of August to the end of October. Squid was plenti-

ful for bait at that season, and the weather was not so rough. Boats at Grand River and Newport caught as much as thirty-eight and forty-two drafts in one trip on the banks. The price of fish ruled high, and the fishermen are better off for the winter than they have been for several years; thirty-eight boats fished at Barachois, Malbaie, during the autumn months; twenty-two sailing vessels and three steamships cleared from the Port of Gaspé with dry cod in bulk and in tubs for foreign markets, during the season.

The falling off in the lobster fishery is apparent, showing a decrease from Seal Cove to Newport of 108,226 pounds. Two new canneries were in operation this year at Belle Anse and Malbaie. Mr. Desbrisay, of Madisco, in writing me with his statement for Malbaie, says: "The number was 12,480 pounds, a mere nothing, as the fishery was a failure. I believe that unless the fishing for lobster is stopped from the 25th July to the 1st of September, and the trawling for them abolished, this fishery will soon be ruined."

As frequent disputes arise along the coast respecting the setting of traps, I would suggest that some regulation be passed defining how traps and lines should be set; whether along shore or out from the shore; the distance apart, and to limit the distance from the salmon stands. Captain Tripp reports having killed six whales, four at Grosse Water Bay, one at Meccatina and the other at Mingan. The number of gallons of oil was 3,577. The number of salmon caught by anglers in the rivers of this division is as follows:—

	Fish.	Lbs.	
Dartmouth	57	772	(150 lbs. of trout.)
York	59	877	
St. John	90	951	
Grand	45	540	
Little Pabos	21	206	
	272	3,276	

The largest salmon caught on the York weighed 32 pounds. At Little Pabos the largest was 18 pounds and the smallest 7½ pounds. These figures show a marked increase in the number of fish killed with the fly, over the two previous years; the rainy weather favored angling in June and July. The rivers of Gaspé and Pabos were all fairly stocked with parent salmon this year. A number of small fish were taken in the Dartmouth and Grand Rivers from eight to twelve pounds each. Salmon entered the Barachois River earlier than known for years. Mr. McCallum, the guardian, saw three fish in this stream on the 20th July; forty-four salmon were netted for the hatchery, and several others were seen going up when the water was high.

The fishery laws were generally well observed and no fines were imposed.

BONAVENTURE COUNTY.

PORT DANIEL DIVISION.

Overseer Phelan reports that the codfishery in his division has been poor, that the fishery only began in July; the fishing was carried on up to the 22nd of November. It is the opinion of the Port Daniel fishermen, as well as of Mr. Phelan, that this falling off is due to the extensive trawling outside of Point Maquereau; the fish are prevented from entering the Bay by the abundance of bait offered them by these trawls. At L'Anse à Gascon the fall fishing was good, but these boats fished mostly at Miscou. Owing to the high price of codfish the fall fishery was vigorously prosecuted.

The salmon fishery was much better than last year, and the advance of one cent a pound paid the fishermen to repair the losses made by the poor fishing of last year. The salmon fishermen hardly ventured to fit out properly this spring, and many of them let their stands out on shares. Overseer Phelan believes that much could be done to improve the salmon fishing in Port Daniel and Nouvelle Bay, if the three rivers which empty into them, were cleared of the many jams and bars which have accumulated in these rivers since lumbering has been abandoned. The lobster fishery is steadily failing; this year the traps were extended into deep water many miles beyond the former limits. In the Port Daniel division the lobsters are also diminishing in size, so much so, that it requires great watchfulness to prevent fishermen from taking small lobsters. An extension of the fishing season for which some are clamorous will only hasten the end. The lobster factory closed on the 15th of August. Spring herring were very plentiful all along the coast. Summer herring were scarce much to the loss of the inhabitants who are poorly provided with winter herring. Capelin were abundant, they are not now taken for manure as the farmers find that their use for this purpose does not improve the soil. Mackerel were not as abundant as usual, only two or three American vessels were seen. There was no contravention of the Fisheries' Act in this Division.

RISTIGOUCHE DIVISION.

Overseer Verge reports the catch of salmon by net to be 37,742 pounds, exceeding last year's catch by 7,309 pounds. The close time was well observed. Mr. Verge suggests that the close time for angling should begin at the same time (31st July) as for net fishing, that the close time for each should be uniform on both sides of the Ristigouche River. At present, the New Brunswick fisherman can fish for fifteen days longer than those on the Quebec side; this is rather inconsistent and the cause of much discontent on our side On the 14th of September, the Rivers Patapedia and Tomkedgwick, with their tributaries in New Brunswick and Quebec, were set apart by Order in Council for the propagation of fish. If these waters, the natural spawning beds of the Ristigouche fish, are well guarded and preserved, the close time in tidal waters well observed, and the angling season shortened, there should be no doubt that a greater increase of salmon would be realized.

NORTH SHORE.

COUNTY OF SAGUENAY.

Godbout Division.

Overseer Duchesne reports that the salmon fishery produced a good return, and in spite of the fact that, owing to so many bad fisheries, the fishermen were this year badly provided with nets. He also reports a much larger number of fish in the rivers. The Rivers Becscie and Mistassini were exceedingly high during the early part of the season, and the salmon ran up them in unusual numbers, without pausing below certain rapids which, with lower water, offer an impassable barrier to them. Mr. Comeau, the local guardian of the Godbout River, reports a larger number of fish in his river than he has seen during the last ten years. All this should augur well for next year's fishery. Mackerel were abundant for a while in Godbout Bay, but were chased from there by immense schools of horse mackerel; these fish are not often seen to follow the mackerel west of Pointe des Monts. Spring herring were abundant all along the coast in this division, and in July again schools of herring of a much better quality were noticed; after August no herring were seen. Codfish were not taken west of Pointe des Monts this season. Halibut were not as plentiful as last season; several American halibut trawlers were seen off Godbout Bay, but had poor luck. Porpoises

were in great abundance in English Bay, and a company has been formed, under Mr. David Têtu, to carry on a porpoise fishery in this bay. The fishermen are rejoiced to see this fishery established, as it is generally thought among them that the porpoises, by driving away the capelin, have caused the failure of the cod fishery in the river.

Trinity Division.

Overseer Bélanger reports that the seal fishery of last winter was not a success, due to the action of the winds and ice. He reports the salmon fishery again poor, due to the late spring and the heavy freshets, coupled with strong north-east winds and rains during the time of the fishery. Owing to all these circumstances, which were disastrous to the net fishermen, the salmon went right up the rivers. The trout fishery was poor also, from the same causes; in fact, owing to so much bad weather, the nets were more often ashore than set. The cod fishery was poor, especially during the early summer; it improved somewhat towards the fall, but then bait was scarce, owing to the herring nets having been nearly all destroyed by a gale of north-east wind on the 8th of September.

Moisie Division.

Overseer Migneault reports that the salmon fishery of the Moisie River was less by one-half than last season. He attributes this to the heavy floods in the river having caused Mr. Holliday to take his nets up during the height of the fishery. The nets set along the sea shore did better than last year. Mr. Migneault reports having seen during July a great number of fish in the river. Cod fishing began about the 1st of June; the best fishing was from the 12th to the 20th of July; but, on the whole, the fishery was a poor one, owing to the prevalence of easterly winds preventing the boats from getting out. Though the quantity of fish taken was small, yet the fishermen did well, owing to the much higher price they got for it. An American schooner took 217 barrels of mackerel in Seven Islands Bay.

Mingan Division.

Overseer Duguay reports the cod fishing in his division below the average; the fall fishery was better than the summer, but towards the close of the season, when cod was abundant, bait became scarce. He attributes this partial failure to the strong winds and currents which prevented the boats from fishing. The seal fishery by vessels from Esquimaux Point was a failure; seals were plentiful, but the vessels were unable to get near them, some of these schooners were nearly three months in the ice. On their return from the sealing voyage, they fitted out at once again for the Labrador cod fishery, but this also proved a failure, as the fleet of twenty-four schooners returned to Esquimaux Point with only 2,500 cwt. of dry fish. Twenty of these same schooners again went down in September, for the fall herring fishery in the straits. Fourteen of them managed to secure a fair average voyage at Port au Choix, on the French Coast of Newfoundland; the other six who stuck to the Labrador coast did nothing. The salmon fishery was somewhat better than for the past three years, the water in all the rivers was high during the salmon season, and freshets occurred so often, that the nets were frequently up. Another cause of poor fishing was the dirty state of the water, this so fouls the nets, that the fish avoid them. The fly fishing in the rivers was not bad, the yield being in the

St. John River	90 fish
Mingan River	31 "
Romaine West River	28 "

In all these rivers the water was too high during the usual fishing season; the rivers were all well stocked with fish. Halibut were plentiful, the cod fishermen being often obliged to change their grounds to avoid catching them. Herring and mackerel were scarce in this division all season.

Natashquan Division.

Overseer Mathurin, reports that the salmon fishery in his division is about double of that of last season, and that both the herring and cod fisheries are better than in 1881. The Natashquan vessels did nothing at the seal fishery. This officer suggests that the rock at the fourth fall on the Natashquan River should be blasted, to facilitate the passage of the salmon, as the fish even with high water have great difficulty in passing this fall.

Washeecootai Division.

Overseer McLeod, reports that when he arrived in his division on the 4th of June the coast was still blocked with ice. The spring herring fishery in Washeecootai Bay was abundant, cod fishing was a failure. Salmon net fishing did not begin before the 2nd of July, and most of the nets were not set for a week later, yet this season in spite of all the drawbacks has yieled the best salmon fishery since Mr. McLeod has been on the coast. Capelin and launce were abundant, this kept the salmon about the estuaries and among the nets. A very great quantity of young salmon have been noticed in the rivers this year. Mr. McLeod believes that not one per cent. of the fish entering the Washeecootai is taken in the nets, there is no doubt that this is one of the best salmon rivers on the coast.

St. Augustine Division.

Overseer Legouvé reports that the salmon fishery in his division shows a very decided improvement over the two preceding years, in spite of the fact that the season was late and rough. He reports the cod fishery a failure and complains that the seining by Newfoundland vessels incommodes the hand and line fishing of the shore people. He advises that his division be divided into two, as at present it is too extended for one overseer to watch thoroughly.

Bonne Espérance Division.

Overseer Whitely reports the cod fishery as being very poor, the average being from boat by hook and line, only fifty cwts. The season has been marked by gales of wind, to which cause he attributes the scarcity of fish in shoal water. The salmon fishery was a decided improvement on last year, and had the weather been more favourable, it would without doubt, have been much better. High prices were given for all kinds of fish and oils. This helped to make up for the short catch. Seals were plenty, but the peculiar state of the ice prevented the fishermen from taking many. Herring were scarce and small, and but few were taken. Newfoundland trawlers continue to split their fish on the banks, much to the injury of the fishing. Mr. Whiteby complains of the wholesale destruction of launce on the bar at Salmon Bay, and suggests that the seining of launce at this spot be prohibited after the 1st of September. He also advises that the practice of jigging for codfish, as practised by the Newfoundlanders, be prohibited, as all our fishermen are opposed to it.

Magdalen Islands.

Overseer Chevrier reports that all the fisheries of the Magdalen Islands show a decrease, with the exception of the lobster fishery, which shows an increased yield owing to the time for fishing having been extended. All the fisheries of the Islands were thrown back by the ice block, which occurred about the Magdalen Islands during the whole of May. The schooners were unable to get out of their usual winter quarters and through the ice in time for the seal fishery. Pleasant Bay being full of ice during the month of May, there was no spring herring fishery. The summer was rough, and the boats were half the time ashore. The fall fishery for cod was good.

The breakwater at Etang du Nord was carried away by the first north-west gale of the fall. It is to be hoped that this useful work will not be abandoned. The crops at Islands were good, and the prices of all kinds of fish and oil being much higher than usual, while flour was cheap. The people of the Islands are all right for the winter.

I beg to conclude this Report by submitting a detailed statement of the actual value of the fisheries for the year just closed.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your obedient servant,

WM. WAKEHAM,

Commander "La Canadienne."

STATEMENT of the Value of Gulf Fisheries, for 1882.

Description.		Quantity.	Price.	Value.
			$ cts.	$ cts.
Salmon, salt	Brls.	1,022	15 00	15,330 00
Salmon, fresh, in ice	Lbs.	248,307	0 07	17,381 49
Codfish, dry	Cwt.	233,523	4 00	934,092 00
Haddock	"	759	4 00	3,036 00
Ling	"	140	4 00	560 00
Hallibut	Brls.	355	6 00	2,130 00
Herring, salt	"	33,000½	4 00	132,002 00
Herring, smoked	Boxes.	3,078	0 25	769 50
Mackerel, salt	Brls.	2,744½	6 00	16,467 00
Trout	"	298	8 00	2,384 00
Sardines	"	29	4 00	116 00
Eels	"	38	7 00	266 00
Cod Tongues and Sounds	"	185	9 00	1,665 00
Seal Skins	Pieces.	13,417	1 00	13,417 00
Seal Oil	Galls.	54,540	0 60	32,724 00
Whale Oil	"	7,880	0 60	4,728 00
Porpoise Oil	"	177	0 60	106 20
Cod Oil	"	170,232	0 60	102,139 20
Fish as bait and manure	Brls.	100,267½	1 00	100,267 50
Lobsters, canned	Lbs.	722,958	0 15	108,443 70
Fish, for local use	Brls.	18,185	4 00	72,740 00
				1,560,764 59
Value of Fisheries in 1881				2,410,937 81
do do in 1882				1,560,764 59
Decrease in 1882				850,173 22

RETURN showing the Kinds and Quantities of Fish in the South Shore Division extend

GASPÉ

CAPE CHATTE AND

NAME OF STATION.	NAME OF OWNER.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in lb. cans.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Herring, smoked, boxes.
Gaspé Co.												
Cape Chatte		2									20	
do							145			3	121	
Ste. Anne		1	1295			911	680			4	328	
River à Marthe						250	700				50	
Claude River		2				310	100				30	
Rivière à Pierre						100	50				25	
Mont Louis		11				750	250				50	
Ruisseau des Olives		4				80	35			2	15	
Anse Pleureuse						80	20				12	
Gros Mâle						360	120			7	15	
Manche d'Epée						180	108				10	
Little Magdalen						30					6	
Magdalen River		5	1000			400	280			5	40	
Grande Anse						20	10				10	
Grande Vallée		2				750	200			9	65	
Anse à Colin						30	15			1	9	
Little Vallée						200	100			3	13	
Frigate Point						400	120			7	18	
Little Anse						300	75			2	15	
Big Chloridorme						500	140			5	28	
Little Chloridorme						800	150			5	50	
Pointe Sèche						600	230			7	51	
Grand Etang						300	100			3	49	
Anse à Valeau						320	100			3	40	
Pointe Jaune						300	100			2	43	
Echourie						300	90			2	36	
Grande Anse						150	75			1	12	
Little Cape						480	240			4	60	
Little Fox River						400	250			2	40	
Fox River and Anse à Fougère						3400	2070			12	280	
Anse au Grifonds						1550	1400			10	150	
Three Rivers and Jersey Cove						230	200			5	15	
Anse à Louise						400	300			10	30	
Cap des Rosiers						500	400			8	100	

ing from Cape Chatte to Point Maquereau, in the Province of Quebec, for the Year 1882

COUNTY.

MAGDALEN DIVISIONS.

Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.	Tunny, barrels.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.								Lobsters, in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
						No. of Seals.	No. of Seal-skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, galls.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, galls.	Herring, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.		
15	....	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	....	.....	...	.. ..	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	....	.....	.....
13	13	...	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	50	3	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	...	.....	225
67	22	...	...	...	.....	40	40	.....	....	120	.....	25	685	128	.....	.....	...	.....	9	....	6	.....	360
10	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	1	....	....	1380	...	50	40	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	....	.....	100
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	300	200	....	.....	...	.....	...	....	....	.....	40
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20	....	...	...	...	2	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	1000	750	.....	.....	...	10	12	....	....	.....	100
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	100	40	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	....	.....	20
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	70	10	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	....	.....	10
14	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	400	100	.....	.....	...	10	...	....	....	.....	25
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	150	50	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	....	.....	10
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	10	5	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	....	.....	5
12	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	600	200	.....	.....	...	15	20	....	....	.....	30
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12	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	800	300	.....	.....	...	20	10	....	....	.....	40
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10	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	400	60	.....	.....	...	10	...	....	....	.....	18
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	300	30	.....	.....	...	10	...	....	....	.....	10
14	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	600	150	.....	.....	...	10	...	....	....	.....	25
15	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	900	400	.....	.....	...	30	...	....	....	.....	30
14	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	800	300	.....	.....	...	20	...	8	....	.....	20
10	.....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	350	150	.....	.....	...	10	...	5	....	.....	20
6	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	350	400	.....	.....	...	16	...	10	....	.....	24
5	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	300	320	.....	.....	...	15	...	....	.....	.....	24
2	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	250	300	.....	.....	...	12	...	....	....	.....	20
1	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	150	150	.....	.....	...	8	...	....	....	.....	10
3	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	600	600	.....	.....	...	20	...	5	....	.....	36
2	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	500	450	.....	.....	...	15	...	....	....	.....	30
5	....	...	...	...	3	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	4680	2830	20	.....	...	234	15	25	....	.....	234
15	....	...	...	...	3	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	2800	800	400	.....	...	60	15	....	....	.....	200
....	.....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	220	20	20	.....	...	15	2	....	....	.....	30
2	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	500	100	50	.....	...	30	...	....	....	.....	75
10	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	800	160	100	.....	...	40	...	....	....	.....	150

RETURN showing the Kinds and Quantities of Fish in the South Shore

GASPÉ DIVISION (Cape

NAME OF STATION.	NAME OF OWNER.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in lb. cans.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Herring, smoked, boxes.
Ship Head		...	.....	.....	...	550	283	...	...	....	85	....
Indian and St. George's Coves.		...	.....	.....	...	441	330	...	...	.....	43	....
Grande Grêve and Little Gaspé		...	1575	.....	...	1420	420	...	...	....	102	....
Cap aux Os and Peninsula		...	.....	.....	...	197	108	...	...	....	24	....
North-West Bay		...	8780	.....	...	25	15	...	...	....	20	....
Gaspé Basin and S.-West Arm.		...	4860	.....	...	50	.....	...	...	....	.....	....
Sandy Beach		...	7757	.....	...	354	79	...	...	....	.....	....
Douglastown and Seal Cove		...	4821	.....	...	480	300	10	4	....	20	....
Chien Blanc and Red Head		...	3185	.....	...	1200	800	...	...	....	60	....
Point St. Peter		...	400	.....	...	2810	1200	...	...	....	110	....
Malbaie		...	800	.....	...	2000	800	...	...	....	55	....
Barachois and Belle Anse			5300	.....	...	2300	1168	...	...	....	.....	....
Corner of the Beach		...	800	.....	...	475	365	...	.	....	59	....
Bonaventure Island and Cannes de Roches		...	.....	.....	...	2640	621	...	...	....	39	....
Percé		...	.....	.....	...	7135	2240	...	...	....	179	....
Anse au Beaufils		...	.....	.....	...	1300	505	...	...	....	46	8
Cape Cove		...	180	.....	...	1950	1525	...	...	....	9	4
Cape Despair		...	.....	.....	...	650	530	...	...	....	3	6
Little River East		...	.....	.....	...	2700	1478	...	...	.....	737	....
Grand River and Little River West		...	2650	.....	...	3555	3180	...	...	....	125	....
Grand and Little Pabos		...	4445	.....	...	2790	2547	35	19	....	.....	....
Newport and Anse aux Canards		...	2200	.....	...	5056	4770	31	36	....	312	....
Totals, Gaspé Division		27	50048	.....	...	55459	32117	76	59	122	3864	18

Division extending from Cape Chatte to Restigouche, &c.—*Continued.*

Gaspé to Newport)—*Continued.*

Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.	Tunny, barrels.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.								Lobsters, in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
						No. of Seals.	No. of Seal Skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, galls.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, galls.	Herring, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.		
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	...	.....	...	583	181	1	.....	...	.....	...	10	....	.....	55
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	...	.....	...	480	129	7	.....	...	.....	...	18	....	.....	40
5	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	...	1270	378	20	.....	...	.....	...	30	....	.....	52
69	.....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	....	...	199	22	1	.....	...	.....	...	1	7	.....	77
10	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	2	.....	95
15	100	...	2	...	.....	....	.....	5	....	....	4200	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	....	8	.....	70
111	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	239	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	94	....	.....	50
10	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	350	10	.....	.....	...	5	...	100	100	30000	100
3	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	1500	120	20	.....	...	50	...	....	....	.....	150
....	....	...	...	...	3	....	.....	.....	2	....	.....	3	2940	385	65	.....	...	73	...	270	....	.....	32
....	....	...	...	...	2	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	2200	650	30	.....	...	40	...	90	....	12480	308
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	2150	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	100	220	19794	650
.....	....	...	...	...	11	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	762	53	.....	46	...	20	...	....	....	10156	13
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	2193	227	100	.....	6	143	...	100	.....	.....	24
....	....	...	...	...	1	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	8705	961	78	.....	...	188	...	....	....	10000	473
....	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	1190	480	185	.....	...	47	...	....	....	.....	100
....	....	...	...	...	4	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	1810	565	143	15	...	67	...	....	....	.....	92
....	....	...	...	...	9	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	723	164	67	.....	...	40	...	....	....	30000	61
30	....	...	...	...	.....	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	2440	1039	125	.....	...	212	...	....	....	.....	245
11	....	...	...	...	44	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	2996	944	212	13	...	62	...	....	....	.....	337
....	....	...	...	...	24	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	4242	1264	996	19	...	93	...	....	31	15000	250
114	.....	...	...	...	64	....	.....	.....	....	....	.....	...	6276	1355	802	100	...	161	...	....	....	20000	307
655	135	...	2	...	170	40	40	6	2	120	5580	28	62283	18083	3442	193	6	1821	88	866	374	147430	5552

RETURN showing the Kinds and Quantities of Fish in the South Shore

BONAVENTURE

PORT DANIEL DIVISION—(Point Macquereau

NAME OF STATION.	NAME OF OWNER.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in lb. cans.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Herring, smoked, boxes.
Bonaventure Co.												
Anse au Gascon		...	974	...	...	315	950	.....	...	...	70	.....
L'Anse à la Barbe		...	2103	...	...	60	350	.....	...	...	35	.....
Port Daniel		...	14051	...	...	210	300	.....	...	...	30	.....
S.W. Point of Port Daniel		...	.....	...	...	30	20	.....	...	...	60	60
Shigawake		...	.....	...	...	380	.....	.....	...	...	55	.....
Nouvelle		...	.....	...	...	72	80	.....	...	...	10	.....
Paspebiac		...	200	...	...	100	240	.....	...	...	15	.....
Totals, Port Daniel Division		...	17328	...	...	1167	1940	.....	...	...	275	60

NEW RICHMOND DIVISION—

Paspebiac		...	.....	...	...	280	900	75	35	...	1000	.....
New Carlisle		...	.....	...	...	75	120	10	10	...	500	.....
Big and Little Bonaventure		...	.....	...	...	900	800	190	22	...	6500	400
Capelin		...	.....	...	...	150	190	15	14	...	1000	300
New Richmond & Black Capes		...	12314	...	...	25	20	.....	...	...	800	400
Maria		...	13222	...	...	25	15	.....	...	...	1500	800
Carleton		...	7711	...	...	20	14	.....	...	...	1000	700
Nouvelle		...	1530	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	100	300
Maguasha		...	3515	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	50	100
Totals, New Richmond Divis'n		...	38292	...	...	1475	2059	290	81	...	12450	3000

RISTIGOUCHE

Twenty-three salmon stations from Maguasha to head of tide			37742	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....

TOTAL FOR THE COUNTY

Port Daniel Division		...	17328	...	...	1167	1940	.....	...	...	275	60
New Richmond Division		...	38290	...	...	1475	2059	290	81	...	12450	3000
Ristigouche do		...	37742	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....
Totals		...	93360	...	...	2642	3999	290	81	...	12725	3060

Division extending from Cape Chattle to Restigouche, &c. - *Continued.*

COUNTY.

to Head of Tide, Ristigouche).—*Continued.*

Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.	Tunny, barrels.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, brls.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises. No. of Seals.	No. of Seal-skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Oils. Seal Oil, gallons	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, gallons.	Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure. Herring, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.	Lobsters, in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
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.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	400	40	100	10	.....	4	...	...	.....	.....	60
.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	500	60	50	.....	.....	4	...	...	.....	.....	70
.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	50	10	200	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	50
.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	350	100	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	80
.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	150	45	.....	6	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	40
.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	300	40	500	5	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	70
.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	2950	445	1750	36	.....	24	...	...	.....	.....	450

(Paspebiac to Maguasha Head.)

13	...	...	10	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	1000	500	1500	.....	.....	...	...	...	100	.....	300
15	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	115	.....	800	.....	.....	...	...	...	6	.....	280
70	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	700	1000	2000	.....	150	...	...	...	130	25000	950
45	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	200	160	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	30	14000	400
16	15	...	4	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	9	.....	650
25	10	...	10	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	10	1000	.....	.....	200	...	...	...	10	.....	350
30	25	...	5	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	10	2000	150	.....	300	...	...	...	25	.....	300
15	10	...	7	..	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	300	.....	.....	250	...	...	...	18	.....	250
40	8	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	...	...	...	.....	.....	150
269	68	...	36	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	2050	4960	4450	.....	1100	...	...	...	328	39000	3630

DIVISION.

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OF BONAVENTURE.

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289	68	...	36	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	2050	4960	4450	.....	1100	...	...	...	328	39000	3630
.....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....
289	68	...	36	...	...	..	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	5000	5405	6200	36	1100	24	...	...	328	99000	4080

Return showing the Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in Division extending from Cape Chatte to Point Maquereau, in the Province of Quebec, for the Year 1882.

ST. ANN'S DIVISION.

Name of Place.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats.		Flat Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	Salmon Nets.			Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries.	
	No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.
Gaspé.			$			$		$					$			$			$			$			$			$			$		$
Cape Chatte	1	45	600	4	50	2800	44	860	....	.....	1	40	10	80	3200	1000	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	1	72	64	...	....	....	...	....	....	3	70
Ste. Anne de Monts	3	150	4100	11	60	2860	82	1209	120	14	2	110	42	127	2590	2068	2	30	20	...	.....	....	2	155	168	1	15	25	...	.....	....	4	80
Marsouis and River à Marthe	...	....	.....	.....	3	140	4	56	6	1	3	111	23	6	120	90	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Claude River	...	....	.....	.....	12	600	12	48	24	3	...	.....	.....	24	960	240	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Rivière à Pierre	...	....	.....	.....	12	600	12	48	24	3	1	100	40	24	960	240	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Mont Louis	...	....	.....	.....	35	1500	35	280	70	10	1	100	40	60	2400	600	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Ruisseau des Olives	...	....	.....	.....	5	250	5	40	10	2	1	200	60	10	400	100	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Anse Pleureuse	...	....	.....	.....	4	200	4	32	8	.....	...	....	.....	8	320	80	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Gros Mâle	...	....	.....	.....	12	600	12	48	24	4	...	.....	.....	24	960	240	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Manche D'Epée	...	....	.....	.....	9	450	8	60	18	3	...	.....	.....	18	720	180	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Little Magdalen	...	....	.....	.....	4	200	4	48	8	1	...	.....	.....	8	320	80	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Magdalen River	...	....	.....	.....	17	755	17	130	34	4	2	160	40	34	1360	340	1	120	80	...	.....	....	1	50	40	1	20	30	...	....	....	....	.....
Grande Anse	...	....	.....	.....	2	100	2	16	4	.....	...	.....	.....	3	120	30	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Grande Vallée	...	....	.....	....	14	600	12	90	28	4	2	170	60	25	1000	250	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Anse à Collin	...	....	.....	....	4	200	4	32	8	.....	...	.....	.....	8	320	80	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Little Vallée	...	....	.....	.....	10	500	10	80	20	2	...	.....	.....	20	800	240	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Frigate Point	...	....	.....	.....	10	500	10	80	20	1	...	.....	.....	20	800	240	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Little Anse	...	....	.....	.....	4	200	3	24	8	1	...	.....	.....	8	320	96	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Big Chloridorme	...	....	.....	.....	10	400	10	75	20	3	1	100	40	20	800	240	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Little Chloridorme	...	....	.....	.....	10	400	10	75	20	3	...	.....	.....	20	800	240	..	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Pointe Sèche	...	....	.....	.....	14	550	12	96	28	3	...	.....	.....	25	1000	300	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Grand Etang	...	....	.....	.....	15	600	12	96	30	5	...	.....	.....	30	1200	360	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Anse à Valeau	...	....	.....	.....	8	640	6	64	16	2	1	150	60	16	640	192	...	.....	....	2	80	20	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Pointe Jaune	...	....	.....	.....	8	640	8	64	16	1	...	.....	.....	16	640	192	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....
Echourie	...	....	.....	.....	6	450	6	48	12	3	...	.....	.....	12	575	160	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	....	....	....	.....

Grande Anse	...	....	.....	.....	3	240	3	30	6	1	...	.....	.....	6	172	72	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....					
Little Cape	...	....	.....	.....	12	960	12	96	24	4	...	.....	.....	24	1920	288	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....					
Little Fox River.....	...	....	.....	.....	10	800	10	80	20	3	...	.....	.....	20	160	240	...	.....	....	..	.....	....	1	50	30	...	....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....					
Fox River	...	....	.....	.....	56	4480	56	448	112	30	...	.....	.....	130	6500	2600	...	.....	....	8	400	100	4	200	120	...	....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....					
Anse au Grifond.....	...	....	.....	.. ...	52	2660	32	320	104	25	...	.....	.....	84	3360	1550	...	.....	....	10	300	200	3	250	230	1	30	50	...	....	.....	.....	.....					
Jersey Cove	...	....	.....	.....	11	500	11	110	22	5	1	100	40	28	1200	600	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	.....	....	...	....	....	...	...	.....	.....	.....					
Anse à Louise	...	....	.....	.....	12	600	12	100	24	5	...	.....	.....	30	1200	500	...	.....	....	5	150	120	1	50	45	...	....	....	...	...	.....	.....	.....					
Cap des Rosiers.....	...	....	.....	.....	30	2000	30	300	60	10	...	.....	.....	50	2500	750	...	.....	....	6	200	200	1	50	45	1	30	50	...	....	.....	.....	.....					
Totals for St. Ann's Division.....	4	195	4700	15	524	28975	510	5163	948	156	16	1341	455	1018	41777	14578	3	150	100	31	1130	640	14	877	672	4	95	155	...	...	....	7	150					

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in South Shore Division, extending from Cape Chatte to Province of Quebec, for the Year 1882—*Continued.*

GASPÉ DIVISION.

NAME OF PLACE.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats.		Flat Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	Nets and Seines.								
											Salmon Nets.			Cod Seines.			Herring Seines.		
	No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.
			$			$							$			$			$
Ship Head	1	56	800	5	10	416	18	184	25										
Indian and St. George's Coves					12	476	21	137	24										
Grande Grève and Little Gaspé	3	180	5000	15	21	930	32	335	54	22	4	320	160						
Seal Rock, Cap aux Os and Peninsula					9	156	31	240	42		15	3269	1019						
North-West Bay	2	114	2900	9	6	250	15	120	15		8	1600	650						
Gaspé and South-West Bay	5	315	12500	30	5	125	27	216	30	20	25	4500	1200						
Sandy Beach	4	199	12000	19	20	521	21	110	40	1	17	2200	800						
Douglastown and Seal Cove					16	640	20	200	32	16	10	2000	1080						
Red Head and Chien Blanc					20	1000	15	150	40	3									
Point St. Peter	2	111	6000	10	55	3960	30	240	108	72	2	380	110						
Malbaie	1	60	1500	5	30	1440	24	240	60	30	1	250	75						
Belle Anse and Barachois	2	131	3400	9	32	1600	29	2400	64	8	4	1800	800						
Corner of Beach	2	103	2400	9	16	950	22	206	32	15	1	200	75						
Bonaventure Island					43	988	26	149	81	60									
Percé	1	95	2500	6	94	6995	55	566	188	104									
Anse à Beaufils					23	967	18	152	48	5									
Cape Cove	1	65	1000	5	28	1310	17	145	59	25	1	240	40						
Cape Despair					10	480	12	104	25	5									
Little River					35	2180	16	164	72	25									
Grand River					57	3120	8	59	112	60	3	1100	250						
Little River West					9	620	5	58	18	3									
Grand and Little Pabos					54	3264	27	270	109	25	3	500	200						
Newport and Anse aux Canards					86	5510	45	517	178	71	1	300	150						
Total for County of Gaspé on Mainland	28	1624	97000	137	1316	66873	1044	12125	2394	726	111	20000	7064						

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in South Shore Division, extending from Cape Chatte to Province of Quebec, for the Year 1882—*Continued.*

GASPÉ DIVISION—*Continued.*

NAME OF PLACE.	NETS AND SEINES.																			
	Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries.	
	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.
			$			$			$			$			$			$		$
Ship Head	20	768	349	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	40	50	1	40	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Indian and St. George's Coves	20	802	236	.....	.....	.....	5	192	39	1	12	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grande Grève and Little Gaspé	49	2524	768	.....	.....	.....	14	568	141	3	130	89	3	140	122	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Seal Rock, Cap aux Os and Peninsula	7	240	61	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
North-West Bay	2	70	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gaspé and South-West Bay	6	500	72	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Sandy Beach	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Douglastown and Seal Cove	20	800	440	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Red Head and Chien Blanc	40	1600	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	60	30	1	15	30	1	40	4	.....	.....
Point St. Peter	148	5676	1388	.....	.....	.....	7	270	55	2	100	60	1	60	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Malbaie	72	2880	650	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	270	185	3	88	115	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Belle Anse and Barachois	10	400	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	60	40	1	60	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Corner of Beach	27	1350	366	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bonaventure Island	56	1975	331	.....	.....	.....	3	86	16	8	480	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Percé	236	7952	2318	.....	.....	.....	3	120	36	3	225	100	2	12	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Anse à Beaufils	46	1840	410	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	450	322	2	60	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cape Cove	59	2280	586	.....	.....	.....	1	50	12	8	400	179	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cape Despair	28	1160	220	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	290	114	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little River	76	3032	878	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand River	142	5092	1549	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	260	190	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little River West	15	536	154	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	304	130	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand and Little Pabos	108	3205	1572	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	60	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Newport and Anse aux Canards	189	4753	2484	.....	.....	.....	5	120	40	6	320	228	1	30	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
										9	456	450	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals for County of Gaspé on Mainland	2364	91212	31924	3	150	100	69	2536	979	88	4794	3263	21	700	827	1	40	4	7	150

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in the County of Province of Quebec,

PORT DANIEL

NAME OF PLACE.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats.		Flat Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	Salmon Nets.			Cod Seines.		
	No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.
Bonaventure, Co.			$			$		$					$			
L'Anse au Gascon	...	.....	.....	.....	53	2120	15	110	106	.....	1	120	50	...	...	...
L'Anse à la Barbe	...	.....	.....	.....	10	350	12	100	32	.....	1	100	50	...	...	...
Port Daniel Bay	...	.....	.....	.....	35	800	8	64	70	.....	9	2820	1200	...	...	...
S. W. Point of Port Daniel	...	.....	.....	.....	2	60	6	48	10	.....	1	140	50	...	...	...
Pointe Loup-Marin	...	.....	.....	.....	2	60	45	340	44	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
Shigawake	...	.....	.....	.....	4	120	6	60	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
Nouvelle	...	.....	.....	.....	15	600	10	80	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
Paspebiac	...	.....	.....	.....	16	640	10	80	36	.....	1	100	40	...	...	...
Totals	...	.....	.....	.....	137	4750	112	882	340	.....	13	3280	1390	...	...	...

NEW RICHMOND

Paspebiac	41	4341	200560	249	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	120	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
New Carlisle	1	45	2000	4	7	350	6	60	14	6	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
Big and Little Bonaventure	...	.....	.....	.....	60	4660	62	600	120	65	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...
Capelin	...	.....	.....	.....	17	850	20	180	34	17	21	511	260	...	...	...
New Richmond and Black Capes	...	.....	.....	.....	4	200	4	40	8	2	175	3890	1660	...	...	...
Maria	...	.....	.....	.....	10	400	7	70	22	12	251	8576	4288	...	...	...
Carleton	...	.....	.....	.....	8	360	10	100	20	10	200	5475	2655	...	...	...
Nouvelle	...	....	.....	.....	3	150	7	70	13	6	27	738	369	...	...	...
Maguasha	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	1416	708	...	...	...
Totals	42	4385	202560	253	159	9430	166	1620	331	238	734	20606	9940	...	...	...

RISTIGOUCHE

22 Salmon Fishermen between Maguasha and Tide Head	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	210	27	.....	25	14016	7017	...	...	...

TOTAL FOR THE COUNTY

Port Daniel Division	...	.....	.....	.....	137	4750	112	882	340	.....	13	3280	1390	...	...	...
New Richmond do	42	4385	202560	253	159	9430	166	1620	331	238	734	20606	9940	...	...	...
Ristigouche do	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	21	210	27	.....	25	14016	7017	...	...	...
Totals	42	4385	202560	253	296	14180	299	2712	698	238	772	37902	11347	...	...	...

Bonaventure, extending from Point Maquereau to Head of Tide, Restigouche, in the for the Year 1882.

DIVISION.

NETS AND SEINES.

Herring Seines.			Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries.	
No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.
		$			$			$						$			$			$		$
...	.....	.....	100	3800	700	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	320	150	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	30	1200	200	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	80	40	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	60	2000	400	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	90	50	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	35	950	160	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	120	40	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	55	1700	330	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	120	40	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	35	1050	200	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	160	80	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	40	1500	250	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	200	100	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	40	1500	250	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	300	160	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	385	13700	2490	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	1390	660	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....

DIVISION.

...	.....	.....	55	1975	660	...	...	.....	53	1905	636	17	680	612	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	8	286	100	...	...	.....	6	216	72	8	120	270	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	70	2450	850	...	...	.....	60	1410	720	25	1000	900	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	25	845	320	...	...	.....	10	430	200	7	280	252	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	14	504	230	...	...	.....	9	340	180	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
.	.....	.....	25	900	300	...	...	.....	12	429	144	1	40	36	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	6	60
...	.....	.....	30	1200	360	...	...	.....	15	540	180	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	1	10
...	.....	.....	10	320	90	...	...	.....	5	180	60	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	20	640	180	...	...	.....	4	128	48	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	... ..	.....	257	9120	3090	...	...	.....	174	5578	2240	58	2120	2070	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	7	70

DIVISION.

...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....

OF BONAVENTURE.

...	.....	.....	380	13700	2490	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	1390	669	...	...	... ..	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	257	9120	3090	...	...	.....	174	5578	2240	58	2120	2070	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	7	70
...	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	637	22820	5580	...	...	.....	174	5578	2240	93	3510	2730	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	7	70

RETURN showing the Kinds, Quantities and Prices of Fish in that part of the County
Province of Quebec,

SAGUENAY

GODBOUT

NAME OF STATION.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Smoked herring, boxes.	Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.
North Shore.															
Pointe des Monts	8½	2316	...	.....	2	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
La Table	2	1800	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Godbout Bay	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	10	.....	20	.....	...	...
Godbout River	4	3167	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	...	...
Pointe Rouge	.....	2061	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	....	.....	....	.....	...	...
Little St. Nicholas	.....	1260	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Grand St. Nicholas	.....	1125	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Manicouagan	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Totals	14½	11729	...	.....	2	.....	...	...	.....	10	.....	20	4	...	...

TRINITY

Pointe des Monts	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Trinity Bay	1½	6433	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	...	...
Petit Mai	.....	924	...	.....	.....	159	...	...	½	1	.....	1	9	...	...
Islets à Caribou	1½	.....	...	.....	.....	365	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	...	...
Calumet	2½	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Isle aux Œufs	½	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Pointe aux Anglais	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	355	...	...	1	11	.....	1	1	...	...
Portage (Pentecost River)	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	95	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8	...
Pentecost River	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	26	...	...	.....	½	.....	½	4	...	...
Cailles Rouges	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	110	...	...	.....	1	.....	1	.....	...	...
Totals	16	7357	...	.....	.....	1110	...	...	1½	16½	.....	3½	25	8	...

MOISIE

Jambons	.....	.....	...	.....	20	960	...	...	11½	300	.....	3	.....	...	...
St. Margaret River	2	.....	...	.....	16	227	...	...	.....	3	.....	5	1	...	...
Seven Islands	1	3652	...	.....	676	1053	...	...	11	254	.....	217	.....	21	...
Moisie River	5½	31341	...	.....	950	1951	...	...	33	.....	.....	6	.....	...	...
Pigou	.....	.....	...	.....	787	389	...	...	11	.....	.....	1	.....	...	...
Rivière aux Bouleaux	...	.....	...	.....	229	54	...	...	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Totals	8½	34993	...	.....	2678	4634	...	...	70½	557	.....	232	1	21	...

of Saguenay, North Shore, extending from Manicouagan to Blanc Sablons, in the for the year 1882.

DIVISION.

Tunny, barrels.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.								Lobsters, in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
		No. of Seals.	No. of Seal-skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, gallons.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, galls.	Herring, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.		
...	.....	154	154	...	...	920	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
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...	.....	200	200	...	40	400	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3
...	.....	354	354	...	40	1320	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3

DIVISION.

...	.....	151	151	...	...	906	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	12
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	103	2	.....	...	1	...	...	.....	19	.....	14
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	30	335	7	.....	...	2	1	...	14	30	.....	39
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
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...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	10	297	33	.....	...	1½	...	...	6	13	.....	21
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	3	11	.....	15
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	21	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	1	3	.....	8
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	99	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	10	5	.....	13
...	.....	151	151	...	...	906	.....	40	945	42	.....	...	4½	1	...	34	81	.....	131

DIVISION.

...	7	.....	.....	1	...	.....	200	.....	580	22	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	40	.....	18
...	1	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	180	.....	24	...	.....		...	19	3	.....	5
...	1½	101	101	1	17	585	900	29	1060	17	15	...	.....	...	...	89	26	.....	17
...	.....	4	4	...	...	35	.....	.....	1809	.....	50	...	.....	...	...	51	.....	.....	30
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	715	.....	65	...	.....	...	...	79	7	.....	19
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	240	.....	20	...	.....	...	...	25	.....	.....	8
...	9½	105	105	2	17	620	1100	29	4584	39	174	...	.....	...	...	263	76	.....	97

RETURN showing the Kinds, Qualities and Prices of Fish in that part of the County Province of Quebec,

MINGAN

NAME OF STATION.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Smoked herring, boxes.	Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.
Sheldrake	2	.....	...	.....	5000	600	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Primrose Cove	.....	.....	...	.....	200	100	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Thunder River	.....	.....	...	.....	3000	800	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Indian Harbour	.....	.....	...	.....	4300	800	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Rich Point	.....	.....	...	.....	5200	700	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Jupitagan River	7	.....	...	.....	.....	200	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Magpie	2	.....	...	.....	5000	750	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Magpie River	11	.....	...	.....	.....	200	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
River St. John's	.....	19080	...	.....	11800	1700	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Long Point	.....	.....	...	.....	2180	1000	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Mingan	13	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Romaine River	25½	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	...	...
Esquimaux Point	.....	.....	...	.....	2500	.....	...	...	.....	5200	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Totals	60½	19080	...	.....	39180	6850	...	...	.....	5200	.....	.....	5	...	...

WATSHEESHOO

Betchouan	.....	.....	...	.....	1000	100	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Ateepetal Bay	14	.....	...	.....	50	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
La Corneille River	19	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Piashter Bay	10	.....	...	.....	100	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Grand Watsheeshoo River	16	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Little Watsheeshoo River	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Totals	59	.....	...	.....	1150	100	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...

NATASHQUAN

Nabissipi	18	.....	...	.....	1035	260	...	...	4	55	.....	.....	1	...	...
Agwanus	51	.....	...	.....	208	55	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
West Avocat	.....	.....	...	.....	710	220	...	...	4	90	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Natashquan Harbour	60½	.....	...	.....	4200	80	...	...	18	60	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Little Natashquan	.....	.....	...	.....	2850	800	...	...	18	2350	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Natashquan River	103	31740	...	.....	350	72	...	...	.....	49	.....	.....	2	...	...
Natashquan Schooners	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Fly fishermen	12	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Totals	244½	31740	...	.....	9353	1487	...	...	44	2604	.....	.....	3	...	...

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DIVISION.

Tunny, barrels.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.								Lobsters, in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
		No. of Seals.	No. of Seal-skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, galls.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, galls.	Herring, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels	Squid, barrels	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.		
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5600	.....	3000	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	140
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	80	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	8
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3500	.....	600	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	100
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	4200	.....	400	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	12
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5200	.....	500	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	12
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	10	..	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	20
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5000	.....	300	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	300
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	12800	.....	800	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	300
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3600	.....	300	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	200
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	2968	2968	...	...	9000	.....	.....	2500	.....	200	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	2968	2968	...	...	9000	.....	.....	42900	.....	6200	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	600
																			1692

DIVISION.

...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	800	.....	500	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	50
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	50	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
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DIVISION.

...	1	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	485	10	111	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	15
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	146	.....	34	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	8
...	1	4	4	...	...	7	.....	.....	520	14	130	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	18
...	2	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2600	16	530	...	....	...	...	60	.....	.....	21
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2780	70	430	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	60
...	1½	30	30	...	...	60	.....	.....	215	.....	53	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5
...	.....	560	560	...	...	3050	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	5½	594	594	...	...	3117	.....	.....	6746	110	1288	...	.....	...	...	60	.....	.....	127

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Province of Quebec,

WASHEECOOTAI

NAME OF STATION.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Smoked herring, boxes.	Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.
Kegashka River.	50												3		
Kegashka Harbor					640					250					
Curlew Point	6				30										
Messini Bay					100	30									
Point à la Croix					250								3		
Cloudberry Point.	8				60								2		
Washeecootai River.	28														
Washeecootai Bay					600					500					
Romaine River	20				900	60				150			5		
Musquarro Big River						30									
Musquarro Little River	3												3		
Totals	115				2580	120				900			16		

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Coacoachoo	3														
Manichouchi River	3				35										
Etamamu	50														
Point du Mourier.	3½				12										
St. Mary's Island					45										
Netagamion	1½				35										
Harrington Harbor	4				460										
Little Meccatina	3				76										
Regolet au Chat.					38										
Gull Island.	1				25										
Providence Island	3				28										
Isle au Chat					100										
Whale Head	5				134										
Sloop Harbor	4				93										
Mutton Bay	35				892										
Red Bay	10				22							50			
La Labatierre	18				85										
Grand Meccatina Island	5				20										
Fonderie à Fecteau	3														
Kikapoe	4														
Red Point	2														
Pocachoo	10														
Little Rigolet	5												1		
Big Rigolet	5												1		
River Island	1												4		
St. Augustin River	10														
Lac Sallé	16												3		
Dog Island	24												2		
St. Augustine Island	2½				15										

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DIVISION.

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...	.....	30	20	1	...	60	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	430	.....	80	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	15
...	.....	20	20	...	...	60	.....	.....	15	.....	5	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	45	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	6	6	...	...	18	.....	.....	175	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	10
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	5	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	50	50	...	...	150	.....	.....	300	.....	20	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	450	.....	50	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	10
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	6
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	96	96	1	...	288	1200	.....	1460	.....	180	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	45

DIVISION.

...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5
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...	.....	50	50	...	...	190	.....	.....	6	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	25	25	...	...	50	.....	.....	22	.....	20	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3
...	.....	30	30	...	...	60	.....	.....	17	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	281	.....	150	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	60
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	55	.....	50	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	4
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	19	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	20	20	...	...	30	.....	.....	11	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	115	115	...	...	460	.....	.....	60	.....	45	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5
...	.....	90	90	...	...	270	.....	.....	74	.....	50	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	52	.....	20	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	10
...	.....	31	31	...	...	150	.....	.....	686	.....	200	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	74
...	.....	30	30	...	...	500	.....	.....	12	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	6
...	.....	1290	1290	...	...	8400	.....	.....	55	.....	20	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	10
...	.....	115	115	...	...	800	.....	.....	10	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	120	120	...	...	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3
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ST. AUGUSTIN

NAME OF STATION.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice.	Salmon, in cans.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Smoked Herring, boxes.	Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.
Sandy Island	15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pointe à Giroux	16	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
L'Anse au Portage	4	...	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Canso Harbor	2	...	...	...	4	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chicatica	2½	...	...	...	55	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	271	...	...	...	2181	...	...	...	...	20	...	50	11	...	...

BONNE ESPERANCE

Napitipi	2	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Bull Cove	18	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Bay of Rocks	10	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...
Lydia's Cove	7	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	...	...
Péche à Lizotte	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	2	...	...
Dog Island	4	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	...	...
Old Fort Island	...	...	...	...	310	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...
Burnt Islands	...	...	...	...	350	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
St. Paul's River	70	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6	...	...
Bonne Esperance	8	...	...	...	1650	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pidgeon Island	8	...	...	...	700	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Stick Point	10	...	...	...	70	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	4	...	...
Salmon Bay	...	...	...	...	6500	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Chalker's Rock	8	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Little Fishery	9	...	...	...	60	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...
Five Leagues	4	...	...	...	150	...	...	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...
Middle Bay	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Belles Amour	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bradore Bay	...	...	...	...	120	...	...	...	...	20	...	...	...	...	...
L'Anse des Dunes	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	40	...	...	...	...	...
Long Point	...	...	...	...	90	...	...	...	...	140	...	...	...	...	...
500 schooners from Newfoundland and Maritime Provinces	...	...	...	...	35000	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	163	...	...	...	45210	...	...	...	...	230	...	...	27	...	...

of Saguenay, North Shore, extending from Manicouagan to Blanc Sablons, in the &c.—*Continued.*

DIVISION—*Continued.*

Tanks, barrels.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.								Lobsters, in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
		No. of Seals.	No. of Seal-skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, gallons.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, gallons.	Herring, barrels.	Capeline, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.		
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	23	.....	10	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	1916	1916	...	...	11910	.....	.....	1423	.....	635	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	222

DIVISION.

...	...	10	10	...	...	40	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	10	10	...	...	40	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	10	10	...	...	40	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	10	10	...	...	40	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	10	10	...	...	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	70	70	...	...	420	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3
...	.....	20	20	...	...	80	.....	.....	350	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3
...	.....	10	10	...	...	40	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	20	20	...	...	80	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2050	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	700	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	20
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	70	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	5
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	6500	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	60	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	25
...	.....	60	60	...	...	240	.....	.....	60	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	
...	.....	60	60	...	...	240	.....	.....	150	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	10	10	...	...	40	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	200	200	...	...	1200	.....	.....	120	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	10
...	... ..	100	100	...	...	600	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2
...	.....	280	280	...	...	1720	.....	.....	90	.....	40000	In all division.				5000	.....	.....	10
																			5
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	20000	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	2000
...	.....	880	880	...	...	4860	.....	.....	30500	.....	40000	...	.....	...	...	5000	.....	.....	2105

RETURN showing the Kinds, Quantities and Prices of Fish in that part of the County Province of Quebec,

TOTAL FOR ALL THAT PART OF THE COUNTY OF

NAME OF STATION.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Herring, smoked, boxes.	Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.
Godbout	14½	11729	...	.....	2	.....	...	.....	10	.....	20	4	...	...
Trinity	16	7357	...	.....	.....	1110	...	1½	16½	.....	3½	25	8	...
Moisie	8½	34993	...	.....	2678	4634	...	70½	557	.....	232	1	21	...
Mingan	60½	19080	...	.....	39180	6850	...	.....	5200	.....	.....	5	...	...
Watsheeshoo	59	.....	...	.....	1150	100	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...
Natashguan	244½	31740	...	.....	9353	1487	...	¼	2604	.....	.....	3	...	...
Washeecootai	115	.....	...	.....	2580	120	...	.....	900	.....	.....	16	...	...
St. Augustin	271	.....	...	.....	2181	.....	...	.....	20	.....	50	11	...	...
Bonne Espérance	163	.....	...	.....	45210	.....	...	.....	230	....	.....	27	...	...
Totals	952	104899	...	.....	102334	14301	...	116	9537½	.....	305½	92	29	...

of Saguenay, North Shore, extending from Manicouagan to Blanc Sablons, in the &c.—*Continued.*

SAGUENAY BETWEEN MANICOUAGAN AND BLANC SABLONS.

Tunny, barrels.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.								Lobsters in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
		No. of Seals.	No. of Seal skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, galls.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, galls.	Herrings, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.		
...	.....	354	354	...	40	1320	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	3
...	.....	151	151	...	..	906	.....	40	945	42	.....	...	4½	1	...	34	81	.....	131
...	9½	105	105	2	17	620	1100	29	4584	39	174	...	.....	...	...	263	76	.....	97
...	.....	2968	2968	...	...	9000	.....	.....	42900	.....	6200	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	1692
...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	905	.....	650	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	65
...	5½	594	594	...	...	3117	.....	.....	6746	110	1288	...	.....	..	...	60	.....	.....	127
...	.....	96	96	1	...	288	1209	.....	1460	.....	180	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	45
...	.....	1916	1916	...	...	11910	.....	.....	1423	.....	635	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	222
...	.....	880	880	...	...	4860	.....	.....	30500	.....	40000	...	.....	...	...	5000	.....	.....	2105
...	15	7064	7064	3	57	32043	2300	149	89063	191	49127	...	4½	1	...	5357	157	.....	4487

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in that part of the County of Saguenay extending from Manicouagan to Blanc Sablons, in the Province of Quebec, for the Year 1882,

GODBOUT DIVISION.

NAME OF PLACE.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats.		Flat Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	No of Shoremen.	Nets and Seines								
											Salmon Nets.			Cod Seines.			Herring Seines.		
	No.	Tons.	Valve.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.
			$			$		$					$			$			$
Godbout River	1	50	11000	5	5	2000	4	60	10	4	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Manicouagan	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand St. Nicholas	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	25	2	2	2	160	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little St. Nicholas	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	30	2	2	1	100	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pointe Rouge	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	15	2	2	1	120	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Godbout Bay	1	23	500	8	.....	.....	4	60	12	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
La Table	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	20	2	2	1	100	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pointe des Monts	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	30	2	2	3	275	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	2	73	11500	13	5	2000	16	240	32	26	8	755	390	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

TRINITY DIVISION.

Trinity Bay	1	10	312	3	1	25	5	47	4	.....	10	900	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Petit Mai	4	34	750	9	6	100	6	43	4	.....	2	150	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Islets Caribou	1	6	100	2	10	325	9	72	20	.....	5	460	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Calumets	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	8	1	.....	1	120	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Egg Island	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	12	1	.....	1	100	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pointe aux Anglais	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	182	2	16	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Portage—Pentecost River	1	21	450	2	6	107	4	11	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pentecost River	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	64	3	7	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	70	32	1	70	20
Cailles Rouges	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	209	6	33	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	7	71	1612	16	40	1012	37	249	76	.....	19	1730	312	1	70	32	1	70	20

MOISIE DIVISION.

Jambons	4	86	2400	11	12	292	7	65	24	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rivière Ste Marguerite	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	35	4	18	8	2	3	250	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Seven Islands	2	73	2300	11	18	760	22	191	36	6	3	1019	504	.....	.....	.....	2	76	82	
Moisie	1	51	600	4	15	770	27	280	72	14	31	6010	3338	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pigou	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	240	5	15	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rivière Aux Bouleaux	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	150	1	12	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	7	213	5300	26	63	2347	66	581	168	24	37	7279	3942	.....	.....	.....	2	76	82	

MINGAN DIVISION.

Sheldrake	.....	.....	.....	.....	80	3200	23	276	160	95	1	100	50	10	500	600	.....	.....	.....	
Primrose Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	120	1	12	4	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Thunder River	.....	.....	.....	.....	41	1640	6	72	82	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Savage Cove	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	500	4	48	20	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Rich Point	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	1750	11	132	70	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Jupitagan River	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	120	4	24	4	.....	2	320	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Magpie	.....	.....	.....	.....	76	3040	18	216	152	116	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Magpie River	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	100	3	36	3	.....	6	620	320	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
St. John's River	.....	.....	.....	.....	99	3960	15	180	198	143	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Long Point	.....	.....	.....	.....	33	1320	11	132	67	32	1	150	180	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Mingan	1	25	600	3	.....	.....	1	12	1	.....	6	750	480	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Esquimaux Point	24	959	12000	110	76	2280	46	480	152	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	200	240	
Totals	25	984	12600	113	456	18030	135	1620	913	678	16	1940	1130	10	500	600	4	200	240	

WATSHEESHOO DIVISION.

Betchouan	6	157	3650	39	10	150	8	48	20	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Ateepetal Bay	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	40	2	12	2	.....	4	344	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
La Corneille	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	200	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Piashter Bay	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	100	4	24	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Watsheeshoo	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	
Totals	6	157	3650	39	15	290	16	134	30	4	8	544	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in that part of the County of Saguenay extending from Manicouagan to Blanc Sablons, in the Province of Quebec, for the Year 1882—*Continued.*

GODBOUT DIVISION—*Continued.*

NAME OF PLACE.	NETS AND SEINES.																			
	Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries.	
	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.
			$			$			$			$			$			$		$
Godbout River				1	150	100														
Manicouagan																2	45	25	1	20
Grand St. Nicholas																				
Little St. Nicholas																				
Pointe Rouge																				
Godbout Bay	3	60	60	1	300	400														
La Table																				
Pointe des Monts																				
Total	3	60	60	2	450	500										2	45	25	1	20

TRINITY DIVISION—*Continued.*

Trinity Bay	2	100	30													3	259	40	1	20
Petit Mai	2	100	30													2	120	12		
Islets Caribou	8	500	108													1	28	3		
Calumets																				
Egg Island	2	100	16													1	50	10		
Pointe aux Anglais	8	340	91													1	50	10		
Portage—Pentecost River	2	80	22																	
Pentecost River	3	150	25										1	50	10	2	160	8	1	25
Cailles Rouges	2	90	25	1	120	36							1	36	60					
Total	29	1460	347	1	120	36							2	86	70	10	658	83	2	45

MOISIE DIVISION—*Continued.*

Jambons	29	636	395				2	100	20											
Rivière Ste. Marguerite	1	20	2							1	60	19								
Seven Islands	9	370	125	2	200	80	7	205	150	1	70	62	3	190	164	1	12	3	1	60
Moisie										2	120	80	2	117	123					
Pigou							1	50	0	1	60	10	1	60	25					
Rivière aux Boulleaux													1	60	40					
Total	39	1026	522	2	200	80	10	355	180	5	310	171	7	427	352	1	12	3	1	60

MINGAN DIVISION—*Continued.*

Sheldrake	14	500	250							8	400	480	6	300	360					
Primrose Cove										1	50	60								
Thunder River	3	150	60							1	50	60	1	50	60					
Savage Cove										2	100	120	1	50	60					
Rich Point										2	100	120	3	150	180					
Jupitagan River										2	100	120								
Magpie	3	150	60										3	150	180					
Magpie River	1	40	20																	
St. John's River	4	200	80							6	300	360	3	150	180					
Long Point	2	100	60							3	150	180	3	150	180					
Mingan																				
Esquimaux Point	30	1500	600							10	500	600								
Total	57	2640	1130							35	1750	2100	20	1000	1200					

WATSHEESHOO DIVISION—*Continued.*

Betchouan	10	500	160							2	100	100				5	130	15		
Ateepetal Bay																2	50	3		
La Corneille																				
Piashter Bay																5	140	12		
Watsheeshoo																				
Total	10	500	160							2	100	100				12	320	30		

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in the North Shore Division extending from Manicouagan to Blanc Sablons, &c.—*Continued.*

NATASHQUAN DIVISION.

NAME OF PLACE.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats.		Flat Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	Nets and Seines.								
											Salmon Nets.			Cod Seines.			Herring Seines.		
	No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.
			$			$		$					$			$			$
Nabissippi						11	114	5	42	24	11	4	300	150					
Agwanus						6	150	4	34	12	8	5	460	230					
West Avocat		1	37	800	12	6	136	3	24	12	7								
Natashquan Harbor						43	1850	11	110	86	43								
Little Natashquan		6	124	3100	51	40	1660	65	362	85	44	5	2600	440					
Natashquan River		2	92	2600	10	3	82	12	42	25	3	19	6000	2400					
Totals		9	253	6500	73	109	3992	101	614	244	116	33	9360	3220					

WASHEECOOTAI DIVISION.

Kegashka River					8	400	8	64	16	8	3	200	100						
Kegashka Harbor	1	20	500	7	6	300	3	45	15								1	60	50
Curlew Point					1	50	1	20	2	1	2	100	50						
Messini Bay	2	20	200	6	2	40	2	20	10										
Pointe à la Croix					5	250	5	75	10	3									
Cloudberry Point					2	100	2	40	4	1	1	90	60						
Washeecootai River and Bay					13	470	7	110	32	8	3	200	150						
Romaine River and Harbor					4	200	4	60	8	2	3	100	50						
Totals	3	40	700	13	41	1910	32	434	97	23	12	690	410				1	60	50

Coacoachoo					1	25	1	6	2		3	150	200							
Manichouachij					1	25	1	6	2		7	200	210							
Etamamu					1	10	2	10	2	1	7	200	200							
Point du Maurier					1	15	2	10	2											
St. Mary's Islands					2	25	2	20	2	1										
Netagamion					2	30	2	15	3	1										
Harrington Harbor	1	25	300	5	11	147	11	107	20	5	2	100	100				2	180	225	
Little Meccatina					3	45	2	11	2		2	80	120							
Rigolet au Chat					4	54	5	31	6											
Gull Island					1	10	2	13	1		1	35	60							
Providence Island					2	25	1	4	3		2	140	100							
Isle au Chat					4	60	3	20	3	1										
Whale Head, W					3	57	2	26	3		2	20	75				1	80	140	
Sloop Harbor					1	109	9	71	12	2										
Mutton Bay	1	30	200	4	24	303	17	119	39		8	460	130	1	20	50	5	770	245	
Red Bay					1	18	1	6	1		3	150	45							
La Tabatière					7	135	7	79	3	2										
Grand Meccatina					3	60	3	24	2		5	340	90							
Fonderie à Fecteau							2	15	1											
Kikapoe							3	37	2		10	525	175							
Red Point							1	5			2	60	50							
Pocachoo							1	8			6	400	90							
Little Rigolet					1	15	2	12	2		8	450	80							
Big Rigolet							1	10	1		6	390	45							
River Island							2	15	1		1	40	30							
St. Augustin River							1	4	1		6	200	50							
Lac Sallé							2	10	2		7	440	93							
Dog Island							3	25	2		11	500	100							
St. Augustin Island							2	15	2		3	300	60							
Sandy Island					1	20	1	23	1		3	171	100							
Pointe à Giroux					1	15	1	15	1		4	150	60							
L'Anse à Portage					1	20	1	12	1		3	80	80							
Canso Harbor					1	30	1	25	1		3	150	100							
St. Augustin Bay					2	60	3	50	3		7	200	102							
Chicatica					2	20	3	70	2		5	117	65							
Totals	2	55	500	9	89	1333	103	919	121	13	127	6048	2630	1	20	50	8	1030	610	

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in the North Shore Division extending from Manicouagan to Blanc Sablons, &c.—*Continued.*

NATASHQUAN DIVISION—*Continued.*

NAME OF PLACE.	NETS AND SEINES.																			
	Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries.	
	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.
			$			$			$			$			$			$		$
Nabissippi	.....	4	100	57	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	100	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Agwanus	.....	2	100	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	100	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
West Avocat	.....	7	360	91	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	72	75	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Natashquan Harbor	.....	6	200	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	120	60	1	36	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Little Natashquan	.....	155	4000	1650	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	116	111	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Natashquan River	.....	5	225	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	66	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	.....	179	4985	1998	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	594	398	1	36	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

WASHEECOOTAI DIVISION.—*Continued.*

Kegashka River	8	240	160	.....	.....	.....	3	90	60	2	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kegashka Harbor	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	30	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Curlew Point	2	60	40	.....	.....	.....	1	30	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Messini Bay	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	30	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Point à la Croix	5	150	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	30	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Cloudberry Point	1	30	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washeecootai River and Bay	12	360	240	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	60	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Romaine River and Harbor	3	90	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	30	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	31	930	620	.....	.....	.....	4	120	80	8	280	340	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Coacoochoo	1	20	10																		
Maniswasi																					
Etamamu																					
Point du Maurier																2	20	17			
St. Mary's Islands																5	40	25			
Netagamio																					
Harrington Harbor	10	280	218							1	60	60									
Little Meccatina																					
Rigolet au Chat	3	75	63																		
Gull Island																					
Providence Island																					
Isle au Chat	2	60	45													1	210	300			
Whale Head, W	1	20	15													1	70	70			
Sloop Harbor	9	205	160							2	158	170									
Mutton Bay	29	865	227							3	190	60									
Red Bay	4	120	30																		
La Tabatière	2	65	25													1	400	400			
Grand Meccatina	1	30	12													1	100	100			
Fonderie de Fecteau																					
Kikapoe																					
Red Point																					
Pocachoo																					
Little Rigolet																					
Big Rigolet																					
River Island																					
St. Augustin River																					
Lac Salé																					
Dog Island																					
St. Augustin Island																					
Sandy Island																					
Pointe à Giroux																					
L'Anse au Portage	1	20	15																		
Canso Harbor	2	40	23																		
St. Augustin Bay																					
Chicatica	2	40	30							1	100	80									
Totals	67	1840	873							7	508	370				11	840	912			

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in the North Shore Division extending from Manicougan to Blanc Sablons, &c.—*Continued.*

BONNE ESPERANCE DIVISION.

NAME OF PLACE.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats.		Flat Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	Nets and Seines.								
											Salmon Nets.			Cod Seines.			Herring Seines.		
	No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.
			$			$		$					$			$			$
Napitipi					1	20	1	10	2	1	2	100	50						
Bull Cove					1	60	1	20	2	1	4	200	100						
Bay of Rocks					3	60	2	40	6	4	4	200	100						
Lydia's Cove					1	20	2	40	4	1	4	200	100						
Pêche à Lizotte							1	20	1	1	4	200	100						
Dog Islands					2	60	2	80	2	1	2	200	100						
Old Fort Island					7	500	4	100	14	6									
Burnt Island					4	400	2	60	8	6									
St. Paul's River					1	70	3	50	2	1	10	500	250						
Bonne Esperance					24	1800	12	590	48	24	2	200	100	2	400	300	1	200	300
Pigeon Island					7	500	4	200	14	6	2	200	100	2	400	300			
Salmon Bay	3	630	17000	38	56	4700	26	1480	112	59	4	400	200	8	1600	2400	1	200	300
Five Leagues					4	200	5	140	8	7	6	600	300						
Bradore					7	200	8	130	13	8									
L'Anse des Dunes					2	100	4	80	4	4	1	100	50						
Long Point					3	120	7	220	11	6	1	100	50						
Totals	3	630	17000	38	122	8830	84	3260	251	136	46	3200	1600	12	2400	3000	2	400	600

TOTAL VALUES OF VESSELS, BOATS, NETS, &c., IN THAT PART OF THE COUNTY OF SAGUENAY BETWEEN MANICOUAGAN AND BLANC SABLONS.

Godbout Division	2	73	11500	13	5	2000	16	240	32	26	8	755	390	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Trinity do	7	71	1612	16	40	1012	37	249	76	.....	19	1730	312	1	70	32	1	76	20
Moisie do	7	213	5300	26	63	2347	66	581	168	24	37	7279	3942	.....	.....	.....	2	76	82
Mingan do	25	984	12600	113	456	18030	135	1620	913	678	16	1940	1130	10	300	600	4	200	240
Watsheeshoo Division	6	157	3650	39	15	290	16	134	30	4	8	544	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Natashquan do	9	253	6500	73	109	3992	101	611	244	116	33	9360	3220	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washeecootai do	3	40	700	13	41	1910	32	434	97	23	12	690	410	.....	.....	.....	1	60	50
St. Augustin do	2	55	500	9	89	1333	103	919	121	13	127	6048	2630	1	20	50	8	1030	610
Bonne Esperance Division	3	630	17000	38	122	8830	84	3260	251	136	46	3200	1600	12	2400	3000	2	400	600
Totals	64	2476	59362	340	940	39744	590	8051	1932	1020	306	31546	13791	24	2990	3682	18	1836	1602

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in the North Shore Division, extending from Manicougan to Blanc Sablons, &c.—*Continued.*

BONNE ESPERANCE DIVISION—*Continued.*

NAME OF PLACE.	NETS AND SEINES.																			
	Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries.	
	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.
			$			$			$			$			$			$		$
Napitipi																1	40	20		
Bull Cove																2	80	30		
Bay of Rocks										1	100	50	1	20	40	1	40	20		
Lydia's Cove																				
Pêche à Lizotte																				
Dog Islands																				
Old Fort Island										1	100	100	1	20	40	2	80	20		
Burnt Island										1	100	100	1	20	40	2	80	20		
St. Paul's River																2	40	20		
Bonne Esperance	4	200	100							6	600	600	6	120	240					
Pigeon Island																				
Salmon Bay	4	200	100							7	700	700	7	140	280					
Five Leagues										1	100	50	1	20	20					
Bradore										1	30	60								
L'Anse des Dunes	4	200	100							1	30	60								
Long Point	6	300	150													2	80	40		
Totals	18	900	450							19	1760	1720	17	340	660	12	440	170		

TOTAL VALUES OF VESSELS, BOATS, NETS, &c, IN THAT PART OF THE COUNTY OF SAGUENAY BETWEEN MANICOUAGAN AND BLANC SABLONS.

Godbout Division	3	60	60	2	450	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	45	25	1	20
Trinity do	29	1460	347	1	120	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	86	70	10	658	83	2	45
Moisie do	39	1026	522	2	200	80	10	355	180	5	310	171	7	427	352	1	12	3	1	60
Mingan do	57	2640	1130	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	35	1750	2100	20	1000	1200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Watsheeshoo Division	10	500	160	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	100	100	.....	.....	.....	12	320	30	.....	.....
Natashquan do	179	4985	1998	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14	584	398	1	36	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Washeecootai do	31	930	620	.....	.....	.....	4	120	80	8	280	340	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
St. Augustin do	67	1840	873	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	508	370	.....	.....	.....	11	840	912	.....	.....
Bonne Esperance Division	18	900	450	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19	1760	1720	17	340	660	12	440	170	.....	.....
Totals	433	14331	6160	5	770	616	14	475	260	90	5292	5199	47	1889	2318	48	2315	1223	4	125

RETURN showing the Kinds and Quantities of Fish,

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NAME OF STATION.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Cod, quintals. Summer Fishing.	Cod, quintals. Fall Fishing	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Herring, smoked, boxes.	Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.
Amherst Island.															
Pleasant Bay	...	...	...	...	700	60	35	...	...	60	.....	500	.....	.....	.....
Le Bassin	...	...	...	...	680	51	30	...	...	40	.....	68	.....	.....	.....
Le Moulin	...	...	...	...	500	45	21	...	...	20	.....	230	.....	.....	.....
L'Anse à la Cabane	...	...	...	...	1,000	125	45	...	...	10	.....	192	.....	.....	.....
Etang du Cap	...	...	...	...	210	30	12	...	...	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	...	...	3,090	311	143	...	...	130	.....	1,010	.....	.....	.....
Grindstone Island.															
Etang du Nord	...	...	...	...	5,500	350	200	...	20	1,600	.....	70	.....	.....	.....
Cap aux Meules	...	...	...	...	.....	50	.....	...	...	.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....
L'Hopital	...	...	...	...	.....	50	.....	...	2	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	...	...	5,500	450	200	...	22	1,600	.....	125	.....	.....	.....
Allright Island.															
House Harbor	...	...	...	...	4,250	.....	.....	...	...	400	.....	100	.....	.....	.....
Anse à Elie	...	...	...	...	60	.....	.....	...	...	50	.....	20	.....	.....	.....
Dune du Sud	...	...	...	...	375	.....	25	...	...	100	.....	200	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	...	...	4,685	.....	25	...	...	550	.....	320	.....	.....	.....
Grosse Isle and Grand Entry	...	...	...	...	30	30	.....	...	...	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bryon Island	...	...	...	...	350	.....	25	...	6	16	.....	40	.....	.....	.....

TOTAL FOR ALL THE

Amherst Island	...	...	...	...	3,090	311	143	...	...	130	.....	1,010	.....	.....	.....
Grindstone Island	...	...	...	...	5,500	450	200	...	22	1,600	.....	125	.....	.....	.....
Allright Island	...	...	...	...	4,685	.....	25	...	...	550	.....	320	.....	.....	.....
Grosse Isle	...	...	...	...	30	30	.....	...	...	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bryon Island	...	...	...	...	350	.....	25	...	6	16	.....	40	.....	.....	.....
Entry Island	...	...	...	...	5	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	...	...	13,660	791	393	...	28	2,446	.....	1,495	.....	.....	.....

in the Magdalen Islands Division for the Year 1882.

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Tunny, barrels.	Cod, Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.								Lobsters, in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
		No. of Seals.	No. of Seal-skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, galls.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, galls.	Herring, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.		
...	.....	242	242	...	.....	726	.....	...	520	260	.....	...	...	...	..	...	14	61,736	250
...	.....	160	160	...	.....	480	.....	...	450	200	....	...	...	...	...	...	17	.....	220
...	.....	60	60	...	.....	180	.....	...	360	100	5	...	...	...	...	...	12	.....	70
...	.....	175	175	...	.....	525	.....	...	800	325	15	..	...	...	...	...	30	.....	200
...	.....	50	50	...	.....	150	.....	...	140	.....	6	...	...	...	...	...	6	.....	70
...	.....	687	687	...	.....	2,061	.....	...	2,270	885	26	...	...	...	...	...	79	61,736	810
...	.....	1,000	1,000	...	.....	4,000	.....	...	2,750	1,000	....	...	...	...	...	...	396	99,992	1,500
...	.....	200	200	...	.....	800	...	...	30	600	....	..	...	...	...	...	....	39,200	600
...	.....	45	45	...	.....	200	.....	...	30	50	.....	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	500
...	.....	1,245	1,245	...	.....	5,000	.....	...	2,810	1,650	....	...	...	...	...	...	396	139,192	2,600
...	.....	3,500	3,500	...	.....	12,250	.....	...	3,000	.....	750	..	...	...	...	...	.....	106,200	200
...	.....	.....	.....	...		.....	.....	...	40	50	....	...	...	...	...	.	4	.....	40
...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	..	200	75	....	..	...	...	...	...	...	.....	100
...	.....	3,500	3,500	...	.....	12,250	.....	...	3,240	125	750	...	...	...	...	...	4	106,200	340
...	.....	200	200	..	.....	600	...	...	25	200	....	...	...	...	..	...	....	169,400	50
...	.....	600	600	...	.....	2,250	.....	...	250	100	50	...	...	...	...	..	....	.....	25

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...	.....	687	687	...	.....	2,061	.....	...	2,270	885	26	...	...	...	...	...	79	61,736	810
...	.....	1,245	1,245	...	.....	5,000	.....	...	2,810	1,650	....	...	...	...	...	...	396	139,192	2,600
...	.....	3,500	3,500	...	.....	12,250	.....	...	3,240	125	750	...	...	...	...	...	4	106,200	340
...	.....	200	200	...	.....	600	.....	...	25	200	....	...	...	...	...	...	....	169,400	50
...	.....	600	600	...	.....	2,250	.....	...	250	100	50	...	...	...	...	...	....	.....	25
...	....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	....	...	...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
...	....	6,232	6,232	...	.....	22,161	.....	...	8,595	2,960	826	..	...	..	...	...	479	476,528	3,825

RETURN OF FISHING STATIONS, Kinds of Vessels, Number

MAGDALEN

NAME OF STATION.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats.		Flat Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	Salmon Nets			Cod Seines.		
	No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.
Amherst Island.			$			$		$					$			$
Pleasant Bay	5	178	70,00	22	39	975	25	175	86	15	...	...	...	...	...	...
Le Bassin	...	...	...	...	17	595	15	130	40	12	...	...	...	...	...	...
Le Moulin	...	...	...	...	10	400	8	96	24	18	...	...	...	...	...	...
L'Anse à la Cabane	...	...	...	...	25	875	20	225	62	35	...	...	...	...	...	...
Etang du Cap	...	...	...	...	6	180	5	50	14	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	5	178	7,000	22	97	3,026	73	676	226	90	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grindstone Island.																
Etang du Nord	...	...	...	...	86	5,780	75	460	214	160	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cap aux Meules	...	...	...	...	9	225	10	80	18	6	...	...	...	...	...	...
L'Hôpital	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	...	...	...	...	95	6,005	85	540	232	166	...	...	...	...	...	...
Allright Island.																
Havre aux Maisons	17	760	30,600	168	53	1,325	8	96	136	60	...	...	...	...	...	...
L'Anse à Elie	...	...	...	...	4	100	3	36	10	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dune du Sud	...	...	...	...	25	625	8	96	70	30	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	17	760	30,600	168	82	2,050	19	228	216	94	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grosse Isle—Grand Entry.	1	35	1,600	6	38	950	6	48	76	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bryon Island	...	...	...	...	8	200	8	80	20	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Entry Island	...	...	...	...	5	125	4	28	12	3	...	...	...	...	...	...

TOTALS OF ALL THE

Amherst Island	5	178	7,000	22	97	3,025	73	676	226	90	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grindstone Island	...	...	...	...	95	6,005	84	540	232	166	...	...	...	...	...	...
Allright Island	17	760	30,600	168	82	2,050	19	228	216	94	...	...	...	...	...	...
Grosse Isle	1	35	1,600	6	38	950	6	48	76	10	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bryon Island	...	...	...	...	8	200	8	80	20	4	...	...	...	...	...	...
Entry Island	...	...	...	...	5	125	4	28	12	3	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	23	973	39,200	196	325	12,355	194	1,600	782	367	...	...	...	...	...	...

of Men, Kinds of Nets used, &c., &c.—*Continued.*

ISLANDS DIVISION.

NETS AND SEINES.

Herring Seines.			Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries.	
No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.
		$			$			$			$			$			$			$		$
4	730	800	25	900	250	...	...	....	90	3600	1440	..	....	...	...	...	...	90	4500	900	...	.....
...	.....	.....	30	920	300	...	...	....	84	3400	1008	...	...	...	...	...	...	10	600	100	...	.....
...	.....	.....	16	576	192	...	...	.....	115	4140	1725	1	76	25	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....
1	90	200	42	1,260	520	...	...	....	200	7000	2400	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	.....	.....	...	.....
...	.....	.....	7	238	73	...	...	....	9	325	144	1	60	30	...	...	...	....	.....	.....	...	.....
5	810	1,000	120	3,894	1335	...	...	...	498	18465	6717	2	136	55	...	...	...	100	5100	1000	...	.....
1	120	50	10	300	120	...	...	....	30	990	450	2	169	60	...	...	...	30	1500	360	...	.....
1	200	140	15	450	150	...	...	....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	70	3500	700	...	.....
...	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	...	...	....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	..	....	.....	.....	...	.....
2	320	190	25	750	270	...	...	.....	30	990	450	2	160	60	...	...	...	100	5000	1060	...	.....
3	420	750	60	900	600	...	...	....	....	.....	.....	4	320	400	...	...	...	....	.....	.....	...	.....
...	.....	.....	6	90	60	...	...	....	....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	12	300	144	...	.....
...	.....	.....	25	375	250	...	...	....	30	990	360	...	.....	...	...	...	...	25	500	300	...	.....
3	420	750	91	1,365	910	...	..	.....	30	990	360	4	320	400	...	...	...	37	800	444	...	.....
...	.....	.....	20	720	200	...	...	.....	10	360	120	...	...	...	...		...	5	250	50	...	.....
...	.....	.....	8	160	80	...	...	.....	4	80	60	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	60	30	...	.....
...	.....	.....	6	180	54	...	...	....	41	1640	656	...	...	...	...	...	...	....	.....	.....	...	.....

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5	810	1,000	120	3,894	1335	...	...	....	498	18465	6717	2	136	55	...	...	...	100	5100	1000	...	.....
2	320	190	25	750	270	...	...	....	30	990	450	2	160	60	...	...	...	100	5000	1060	...	.....
3	420	750	91	1,365	910	..	...	....	30	990	360	4	320	400	..	...	...	37	800	444	...	.....
...	.....	.....	20	720	200	...	...	....	10	360	120	...	...	.....	...	...	...	5	250	50	...	.....
...	.....	.....	8	160	80	...	...	....	4	80	60	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	2	60	30	...	.....
...	.....	.....	6	180	54	...	..	....	41	1640	656	...	.....	.....	...	...	...	....	.....	.....	...	.....
10	1,550	1,940	270	7,069	2849	...	...	.....	613	22525	8363	8	616	515	...	...	...	244	11210	2584	...	.....

RETURN showing the Kinds and Quantities of Fish in the

ISLAND OF

NAME OF STATION.	NAME OF OWNER.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Summer Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Fall Fishing. Cod, quintals.	Haddock, quintals.	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Smoked Herring, boxes.	Mackerel, barrels.
English Bay						1,379	405			19	53		
Strawberry Cove						588	68			11	20		
Indian Harbor						975				15	450		
Macdonald's Cove		10				1,550				15	510		
Capelin Bay						340				4	160		
Potato River						190				2	120		
Cow Point						275				3	140		
Tap's Cove						550				7	260		
Mauzerolle River						710				9	620		
Salmon River		13				50				2	70		
Fox Bay		5				900	200				2000		
Cormorant Point						30				2	20		
South West Point						10					5		
Jupiter River		15											
	Totals	43				7,547	673			89	4428		

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Trout, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Eels, barrels.	Tunny, barrels.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.									Fish used for Local Consumption, barrels.
					No. of Seals.	No. of Seal-skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, galls.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, galls.	Herring, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.	Lobsters in lb. cans.	
.....	...	...	...	...	15	15	...	...	49	...	...	1,094	370	869	.....	.....	10	...	...	...	...	50
.....	...	...	...	...	16	16	...	...	37	...	...	496	68	510	.....	.....	12	...	...	...	...	50
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	..	.....	...	...	750	100	100	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	30
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	995	206	170	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	20
....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	250	30	30	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	10
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	120	30	30	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	8
.....	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	200	35	40	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	8
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.....	...	...	...	.....	40	40	...	...	100	...	...	600	50	100	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	25
.....	...	...	...	.....	10	10	...	...	30	...	...	.....	10	10	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	5
.....	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	4	6	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	3
3	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	...	...	.....
3	...	...	...	.....	81	81	...	...	216	...	...	5,294	1,107	2,070	.....	.....	22	...	...	...	...	241

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats,

ISLAND OF

NAME OF PLACE.	NAME OF FITTER OUT.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats.		Flat Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	Salmon Nets.		
		No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.
				$			$		$					$
English Bay		1	50	800	.....	26	780	23	184	49	13	...	.....	.....
Strawberry Cove		...	...	.....	.....	3	100	23	184	23	10	...	.....	.....
Indian Harbor		...	...	.....	.....	16	640	9	90	32	9	...	.....	.....
Macdonald's Cove		...	...	.....	.....	20	800	13	130	40	13	3	120	30
Capelin Bay		...	...	.....	.....	6	240	4	40	12	4	...	.....	.....
Potato River		...	...	.....	.....	3	120	2	20	6	2	...	.....	.....
Cow Point		...	...	.....	.....	4	160	3	30	8	3	...	.....	.....
Tap's Cove		...	...	.....	.....	9	360	5	50	18	7	...	.....	.....
Mauzerolle River		...	...	.....	.....	10	400	7	70	20	10	...	.....	.....
Salmon River		...	...	.....	.....	1	40	1	10	3	...	2	180	75
Cormorant Point		...	...	.....	.....	1	250	3	25	2	...	...	.....	.....
South-West Point		...	...	.....	.....	1	20	1	5	1	...	...	.....	.....
Jupiter River		...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	10	2	...	3	180	100
Fox Bay		1	13	400	4	23	700	16	100	62	...	4	80	50
	Total	2	63	1200	4	123	4610	111	948	278	71	12	560	255

Nets, &c., in the Division of Anticosti, &c.—*Continued.*

ANTICOSTI.

NETS AND SEINES.

Cod Seines.			Herring Seines.			Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries	
No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.
		$			$			$			$			$			$			$			$		$
...	...	...	...	...	.....	56	1400	660	...	...	.....	2	70	22	5	279	128	..	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	15	450	120	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	2	125	25	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	34	460	408	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	3	180	75	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	44	1760	528	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	3	180	75	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	13	520	156	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	2	120	60	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	4	160	50	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	1	60	30	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	9	360	108	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	1	60	25	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	16	640	200	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	2	120	55	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	23	920	276	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	2	120	60	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	3	120	36	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	2	80	10	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	..	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	24	720	250	...	...	. ....	...	...	.....	1	60	80	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....
...	...	...	...	...	.....	243	7590	2802	...	...	.....	2	70	22	22	1304	613	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....

RETURN showing the Kinds and Quantities of Fish in the

TOTALS OF ALL

NAME OF COUNTY.	Salmon, barrels, cured.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, boxes.	Cod, quintals. Summer Fishing	Cod, quintals. Fall Fishing	Haddock, quintals	Ling, quintals.	Halibut, barrels.	Herring, barrels.	Smoked Herring, boxes.	Mackerel, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Sardines, boxes.	Eels, barrels.	Tunny, barrels.
County Gaspé, Main Land	27	50048	...	...	55459	32117	76	59	122	3864	18	655	135	...	2	...
County Gaspé, Magdalen Islands	.....	.....	...	..	13660	791	393	.....	28	2446	.....	1495	.....	...	...	...
County Bonaventure	.....	93360	...	...	2642	3999	290	81	.....	12725	3060	289	68	...	36	...
County Saguenay, North Shore	952	104899	...	...	102334	14301	.....	.....	116	9537½	.....	305½	92	29	...	...
County Saguenay, Island of Anticosti	43	.....	...	...	7547	673	.....	.....	89	4428	.....	.....	3	...	...	...
Totals	1022	248307	...	...	181642	51881	759	140	355	3300½	3078	2744½	298	29	38	...

Gulf Division, Province of Quebec, for the Year 1882.

THE DIVISIONS.

Cod, Tongues and Sounds, barrels.	Seals, Whales and Porpoises.				Oils.				Fish and Clams used as Bait and Manure.								Lobsters in lb. cans.	Fish used for Local Consumption.
	No. of Seals.	No. of Seal-skins.	No. of Whales.	No. of Porpoises.	Seal Oil, galls.	Whale Oil, galls.	Porpoise Oil, galls.	Cod Oil, galls.	Herring, barrels.	Capelin, barrels.	Smelt, barrels.	Cod Roes, barrels.	Squid, barrels.	Trout, barrels.	Launce, barrels.	Clams, barrels.		
170	40	40	6	2	120	5580	28	62280	18083	3442	193	6	1821	88	866	374	147430	5552
.....	6232	6232	...	...	22161	.....	.....	8595	2960	826	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	479	476528	3825
.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	....	5000	5405	6200	36	1100	24	...	.....	328	99000	4080
15	7064	7064	35	73	20432	3001	49	89063	191	49127	....	4½	1	...	5357	157	.....	4487
.....	81	81	...	...	216	.....	....	5294	1107	2070	.....	.....	22	...	.....	.....	.....	241
185	13417	13417	95	95	45407	8801	771	70232	27746	61665	229	1110½	1868	88	6223	1338	722958	18185

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in the Gulf Division, in the Province of Quebec, for the year 1882—*Continued*.

TOTALS OF ALL DIVISIONS.

No.	Name of County.	Vessels.				Fishing Boats		Flat Boats.		No. of Fisherman.	No. of Shoremen.	Nets and Seines.								
												Salmon Nets.			Cod Seines.			Herring Seines.		
		No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.
				$			$		$					$			$			$
1	County Gaspé, main land	28	1624	97000	137	1316	66873	1044	12125	2394	726	111	20000	7064	....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....
2	do Gaspé, Magdalen Islands	23	973	39200	196	325	12355	194	1600	782	367	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	10	1550	1940
3	do Bonaventure	42	4385	202560	253	296	14180	299	2712	698	238	772	37902	11347	....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....
4	do Saguenay, North shore	64	2476	59362	340	940	39744	590	8051	1932	1020	306	31546	13794	24	2990	3682	18	1836	1602
5	do Saguenay, Anticosti	2	63	1200	4	123	4610	111	948	278	71	12	560	255	....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....
	Totals	159	9521	399322	930	3000	137762	2238	25436	6084	2422	1201	90008	32460	24	2990	3682	28	3386	3542

RETURN showing Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., in the Gulf Division, in the Province of Quebec, for the year 1882—*Continued.*

TOTALS OF ALL DIVISIONS—*Continued.*

No.	NAME OF COUNTY.	NETS AND SEINES—*Concluded.*																					
		Herring Nets.			Mackerel Seines.			Mackerel Nets.			Capelin Seines.			Launce Seines.			Seal Nets.			Brush Fisheries.		
		No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.		
				$			$			$			$			$			$		$		
1	County Gaspé, main land	2864	91212	31924	3	150	100	69	2536	929	88	4794	3263	21	700	829	1	40	4	7	150		
2	do Gaspé, Magdalen Islands	270	7069	2849	...	.....	.....	613	22525	8363	8	616	515	...	.....	.....	244	11210	2584	....	.....		
3	do Bonaventure	637	22820	5580	...	.....	....	174	5578	2240	93	3510	2730	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	70		
4	do Saguenay, North shore	433	14331	6160	5	770	616	14	475	260	90	5292	5199	47	1889	2318	48	2315	1223	4	125		
5	do Sanuenay, Anticosti	243	4590	2802	...	.....	.....	2	70	22	22	1304	613	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....		
	Total	4047	143022	49135	8	920	716	872	31184	11814	301	15516	12320	68	2589	3145	293	13565	3811	18	345		

TABLE showing Tonnage, Number and Value of Vessels engaged in Gulf Fishery, for 1882.

No. of Vessels.	Tonnage.	No. of Sailors.	Value
159	9,521	930	$ 399,322

NUMBER of Fishermen and Shoremen with Boats and Flats, and Value of.

No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	No. of Boats.	No. of Flats.	Value.
				$ cts.
6,084	2,422	3,000	.....	137,762 00
		.....	2,238	25,436 00
				163,198 00

Number of Nets, Length and Value.

Description.	Number.	Length.	Value.
		yds.	$
Salmon nets	1,201	90,008	32,460
Cod seines	24	2,990	3,682
Herring seines	28	3,386	3,542
do nets	4,047	143,022	49,315
Mackerel seines	8	920	716
do nets	872	31,184	11,814
Capelin seines	301	15,516	12,320
Launce do	68	2,589	3,145
Seal nets	293	13,565	3,811
Brush Fisheries	18	.....	345
Total value	.....	.....	111,150

Total Value of Boats, Flats, Vessels, Nets, &c., used in Gulf Fishery in 1882.

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Vessels	399,322
Boats and Flats	163,198
Nets and Moorings	111,150
Total	673,670

EXTRACTS *from the log of "La Canadienne," Government Steamer for Protection of Fisheries.*

Friday, June 2, 1882.—Left Quebec at 4 p.m., proceeded down river.

Saturday, 3.—Put pilot on board schooner off Bic at 9 a.m.; called at Rimouski; left Rimouski 6.30 p.m.

Sunday, 4.—Anchored at Godbout 4 a.m., landed at 6.30 a.m; ship's crew attended mass on shore; met Overseer Duchêne; all well here; left at noon for Trinity Bay, where landed at 1.30 p.m., and met Overseer Bélanger; all well here; no fish yet. The misery reported on this part of the coast last winter was not as great as stated at the time. Returned on board at 2.30 p.m., and left for Seven Islands, where anchored at 10.30 p.m.; blowing fresh from east with heavy sea.

Monday, 5.—Landed at 8 a.m; no fishing yet; people all well, no misery last winter; blowing half a gale, with rain and fog; no chance of landing at Moisie; a few herring taken this afternoon; Indians report the whole interior for 300 miles back burned by the fire of last summer; left Seven Islands at 7.30 p.m.

Tuesday, 6.—Landed at Magpie at 5 a.m.; all well, fishing beginning; left at 10.15 a.m. for Mingan, where landed at 1.30 p.m. Indians tell me that they nearly all came out in March having found no fur, and no food in the woods, every living thing was either destroyed or driven away by the severe fire of last season. Some of these Indians had been back to the Height of Land; they found the woods still burning there in November last. Some of the more feeble Indians died in the woods of misery and want. Since they came out they have been fed by the Hudson's Bay Company. Left Mingan at 2.45 p.m., and landed at Esquimaux Point at 5 p.m.; all well here; poor seal fishery, vessels just returned, plenty of seals on ice, but no means of getting at them.

Wednesday, 7.—Left the Point at 3.45 a.m.; heavy breeze of east wind, could not land at Watsheeshoo, kept right on for Canadian Harbour Natashquan, where landed at 2 p.m; boats doing well, some to-day had eleven drafts; blowing a gale outside, with heavy sea.

Thursday, 8.—Left Canadian Harbour at 7 a.m., and crossed to the mouth of Natashquan River; landed at 8 a.m.; called on Messrs. Carbonneau & Joncas, and spent the day arranging the difficulty about the possession of Sandy Island. Ice reported close below here; we decided to cross to the Magdalen Islands; left Natashquan at 4 p.m.; wind south-east, with some sea.

Friday, 9.—Had a dirty night wind and sea increasing in morning, blowing half a gale from south-east; found this morning that our screw was loose; made Heath Point Light at noon and decided to run for the South Shore; anchored at Percé at 11 p.m.

Saturday, 10.—Landed at Percé at 7 a.m.; poor fishing, season generally backward; left Percé at 11.45 a.m., called at Point St. Peter at 1.45 p.m.; no fish; all well. *Brothers* and *Cornucopia* here loading for Brazil. Left the Point at 4 p.m. and anchored in Gaspé at 7 p.m.

Sunday, 11.—Crew attended church; raining all day, with east wind.

Monday, 12.—Hauled into Eden's Wharf, and began coaling at 6 a.m.

Tuesday, 13.—Coaling until 9 a.m., when steamed down to Narrows, and put new sinkers on buoys and placed buoys in position. Left Gaspé at noon; called at Grande Grève 2 p.m.; no fish; left here at 5 p.m. for L'Anse à Griffonds, where anchored at 8 p.m., and landed; no fishing.

Wednesday, 14.—Anchored at Fox River and landed at 5 a.m.; not much fishing. A good deal of sickness and misery here. Left at 8.30 for Chlorydorme, where landed at 11 a.m.; left at 1 p.m. for Grande Vallée, where landed at 2 p.m; left again at 3.15 p.m., for Magdalen River, where landed at 4 p.m. *Walsgrief* here loading deals; no fishing; all well at the light; left at 5 p.m. for Mont Louis, where landed at 8.20 p.m.; no fish; returned on board at 11 p.m. Our screw being very loose, and thumping very much when reversed, we here decided to return to Quebec to get it tightened, as the rise and fall of the tide in Gaspé was not great enough to let us get at it properly.

Thursday, 15.—Left at daylight for St. Ann's, where landed at 9.25 a.m. Met here Mr. Hogan and party waiting for the water to fall in the St. Ann's River, to begin fly fishing; no cod fishing here. Left St. Ann's at 1 p.m. for Cape Chatte; landed at Cape Chatte at 2.30 p.m. All well here; left here at 5 p.m. for Father Point.

Friday, 16.—Raining hard all night, with fog and west wind; too thick to make Father Point; we kept on, made Bic at 11 a.m., took on pilot and left for Quebec.

Saturday, 17.—Arrived at Quebec at 1.30 p.m. and landed; was ordered to leave again and return to Bic to examine with Capt. Mormen the sight for a new house to keeper of light.

Sunday, 18.—Night thick; came to off Father Point at 10.30 a.m.; took on board a pilot at Father Point and returned to Biguet Island, where landed with Capt. Mormen, and measured site for the light-keeper's house. Left here at 2.10, and night being thick anchored off Kamouraska at 10.30.

Monday, 19.—Got under weigh at 3.30 a.m., and proceeded to Crane Island, where replaced the white buoy; at 9 a.m. called at Berthier, and 3 p.m. anchored in stream at Quebec.

Tuesday, 20.—At anchor in stream.

Wednesday, 21.—Put ship ashore at Davie's to repair screw.

Thursday, 22.—Painting bottom.

Friday, 23.—Come off with morning tide, and anchored in stream at 9.45 a.m. Left Quebec for below at 4 p.m.

Saturday, 24.—Anchored at Escoumains at 6 a.m. Visited river and saw salmon ladder. Crossed to Rimouski, where cabled at 9.30 p.m. Left at once for Cape Chatte.

Sunday, 25.—Did not call at Cape Chatte; anchored at St. Anne's at 11.30 a.m. Left here again at 5 p.m. for Moisie.

Monday, 26.—Made Moisie at daylight, unable to land, so run into Seven Islands Bay; found here steamship *Otter*.

Tuesday, 27.—Left at daylight for Moisie, swell still too heavy to land. Kept on for Sheldrake where landed at noon; fishing poor. Left again 2.15 p.m. for St. John's where landed at 5.30 p.m.; fishing poor. Returned on board at 10 p.m. Weather foggy; remained at anchor here all night.

Wednesday, 28.—Left St. John's at 3 a.m.; landed at Mignan at 5 a.m.; met Duguay; all well here. Yacht *Sancta Cecilia* here with Mr. Franklin and party, who are fishing the Romaine; left again at 5.45 a.m. for Esquimaux Point, where landed at 8.30 a.m. Vessels all away below to cod fishery. Left here again at 10 a.m.; landed at Watsheeshoo at 3 p.m.; no one had seen Gobeil; left here at 3.45 p. m., and anchored at Natashquan at 8.30 p.m.; fishing still good. French steamer *Stella Maris* here loading fresh salmon (she left during the night for Chateau Bay). She had taken here about 50,000 pounds.

Thursday, 29.—Left at daylight for Kyoshka and Musgavin at 10 a.m. (The Mission for the Indians was just beginning here. Father Arneau had been here some time with the Indians, and we landed here Monsigneur Guay and his Chaplain), wind east; coast down here still covered with snow and ice; anchored in Harrington Harbour at 7.30. To-day we saw a large number of vessels, none of which were doing much. Thes run in the various harbours off which we called, as follows:—

Romaine	11 vessels
Cariboo	20 "
Harrington	63 "
Caucoachoo	20 "
Ship Harbour	23 "
On fishing grounds	6 "
143 in all.	

The winter had been very severe on the coast; no game or fur taken.

Friday, 30.—At anchor in Harrington Harbour all day; blowing a gale from the east; visited the schooners; two of those from the Magdalen Islands had fever on board.

Saturday, July 1.—Blew very hard during the night, but wind moderating at 11 a.m. we got under weigh and left for Whale Head; saw a good many vessels again to-day.

Havre à la Croix	6 vessels.
Youker Harbour	13 "
Esquimaux Harbour	9 "
Mutton Bay	11 "

Anchored at Mutton Bay at 3 p.m.; fishing poor; boats to-day had two drafts for the first time; coast covered with snow.

Sunday, 2.—Left Mutton Harbour at 9 a.m., and anchored at La Tabatiere at 10.30 a.m. Mr. Robertson had done well with his seal fishery last fall; left here at noon and went across to Big Meccatina Island; called in Western Harbour at 1.30 p. m.; thirty-three schooners here doing nothing; these vessels intend going out on the Big Labrador. Wind freshening; went into Island Harbour and anchored; at 9 p. m. had to let go a second anchor.

Monday, 3.—Blowing a gale from south-east all day; towards night wind veered into south south-west.

Tuesday, 4.—Weather clearing up left at 4.30 a m. and went across to Pocachoo; here found Overseer Legouvé; all well. Left at 9.30 and went through the Rigolet to St. Augustine; ten vessels here doing nothing; all propose to go to the eastward; remained here all night; a good deal of scattered ice outside, and some bergs.

Wednesday, 5.—Left St. Augustine at 4 a. m.; called at Portage Harbour, Baie des Rochers, Chicatica, Day Island, Old Fort Island, Burnt Island, and anchored in Bonne Espérance at 4 p.m. To-day we saw, in the above harbours, upwards of one hundred vessels. Most of them had taken little or no fish, The Nova Scotians all complain of the seining. Mr. Whitly states that fishing has been poor. Most of the fish has been taken with the seine; it has been too rough to put out the traps.

Thursday, 6.—Left Bonne Espérance at 6 a.m., and went over to Salmon Bay, calling at Stick Point. Goddard has done nothing. In Salmon Bay we found the steamer Nimrod, belonging to Mr. Joy; he tells us that he has done nothing so far. and the prospect is bad, as the season is now well advanced. Left Salmon Bay at 9 a.m.; proceeded for Blanc Sablons, calling at Five Leagues and Middle Bay. There were some fifty vessels fishing between Salmon Bay and Greenly Island. Left Greenly Island, after calling at the Light, at 2 p.m.; anchored and landed at Isle au Bois at 3 p.m.; crossed to Blanc Sablons in my boat, and visited Messrs. Cimon and Luce; fishing poor everywhere. Returned on board at 8.15 p.m.; then blowing a gale from the eastward; we left our anchorage at Isle au Bois and crossed to Blanc Sablons for shelter.

Friday 7.—Blew very hard during the night and all day, with fog and rain.

Saturday, 8.—Weather still thick; wind moderating.

Sunday, 9.—Weather clear. We got under weigh at 3.30 a. m., and ran into Bradore Bay, where we found twenty-five vessels; here we seized a net, set as a salmon net, where no such net was licensed; the owner never came forward to claim it. Going out from here we found a trap net set at Long Point; it belonged to one of the Newfoundland vessels, but the owner never came forward to claim it. Left here at 10.25 a.m. for Grosse Isle de Meccatina; weather coming thick, we kept outside, and made the land about four miles to the east of Grosse Isle, and ran into Gaumont's Harbour, where we anchored under both anchors in twenty fathoms of water, with fifty fathoms of chain. It was now blowing a whole gale from the east.

Monday, 10.—Blew hard during the night; weather clearing in the morning. We left at 5 a.m. for Whale Head; thirty vessels here; seized one trap net. Left at 1 p.m. for Esquimaux Harbour, where we called at 2.15 p.m. Left again at 3.25 for Havre à la Croix (twenty-eight vessels); left here at 5 p.m. for Magdalen Islands. Weather clear, with north wind.

Tuesday, 11.—Wind changed during night to fresh south-east breeze; landed at Grosse Isle at 4 p. m., and landed material for the Telegraph Station that we had brought from Quebec. Mr. LaBourdais reports cod-fishery poor. Some seals had been taken in the spring, by the shore people, on the ice between here and Bryan Island. Lobster factories at Grand Entry were doing well. Left here at 7 p.m. for House Harbour.

Wednesday, 12.—Weather thick. Anchored off Pleasant Bay in fourteen fathoms of water at 1.30 a. m.; weather too thick to make the bay. The lights at these islands are badly placed, none of them being of any use to vessels making this bay. At 3 a. m., weather clearing; proceeded into the bay of House Harbour; landed at 8 a. m.; fishing poor; spring very backward, and seson rough so far; left by land for Etang du Nord. Here the fishing is good owing to the boats being able to get some shelter from the continuous east wind. Lobster packers doing well, but the lobsters seem very small. The lobster fishing only began about the 10th June, or nearly a month late. The people who gain their living by fishing for lobsters are all anxious that the season should be prolonged. The breakwater is well advanced; some schooners are now moored inside of it in fourteen feet of water. Returned by way of Cap aux Meules; at 4 p.m., got on board and left for Amherst, where landed at 6 p. m.; fishing here poor; lobster fishing also poor; much damage had been done to the traps here and at House Harbour by the gales of east wind. Left here at 9 p. m. for Gaspé.

Thursday, 13.—Called at Percé at noon; fishing good. Left Percé at 5 p. m. for Gaspé, where arrived and made fast to Eden's wharf at 9 p.m.; raining and foggy.

Friday, 14.—Coaling.

Saturday, 15. Coaling and cleaning ship.

Sunday, 16.—Hauled into the stream and anchored at daylight; crew attended service; took Hon. P. Fortin on board at 8.30 p.m.

Monday, 17.—Left Gaspé at daylight; anchored at Point St. Peters at 6.15 a. m. and landed on Plateau Island; made a sketch of the island and took measurement for a light, which it is proposed to place here. Left Point St. Peter at 1.30 p. m; crossed to Percé. Left Percé at 3.30 p. m., and anchored in Mal Baie at 4.30 p. m.; returned on board at 11 p. m., and left at once for Anticosti.

Tuesday, 18.—Landed at South-West Point at 5.30 a. m.; found all well; left at 7.30 for Jupiter River, where landed at 9 a m. Capt. Setter was doing well with his net fishing for salmon. Mr. Charles Stevenson, of Montreal was fly-fishing the Jupiter, and had done well. Left here at 10 a. m. for Gun River This will be the most central and best place for a telegraph station if one is required between Becscie River and the South-west Point. Left here at 11 a. m.; unable to call at Becscie; too much sea; kept on and passed West Point Light (all well) at 5 p. m.,; anchored and landed at English Bay at 5.30 p.m.; fishing, average; left at 10 p. m. for Moisie.

Wednesday, 19. —Landed at Moisie at 5 30 a. m.; met Migneault; all quiet here. Mr. Holliday tells me salmon fishing had been poor, owing to the heavy freshets; the nets on the outside coast had done better than those in the river; cod fishing had been poor, but for the last week the average had heen six drafts per boat, per day. Left Moisie at 10 a. m. for Sheldrake; landed here at 4 p. m.; all well; fishermen doing better the last few days; walked down to Mr. L. Souzel's, and went on board from there at 6 p m.; landed at Magpie at 8 p. m.; all well at fishing rooms; fishing, average. Many of the inhabitants here are down with scurvy, due, I think, to their poor nourishment, through the winter and spring, and to the too frequent use of salt pork since the fishing began. Visited them and gave them a supply of lime juice. Returned on board at midnight.

Thursday, 20.—Left Magpie at 4:35 a.m., and landed at St. John's at 6:15 a.m.; all well here; fishing improving; salmon net fishers had done better than last year, though the nets were often up on account of the freshets; anglers in the river were doing well. Left St. John's for Long Point at 10.15 a.m.; weather foggy; landed at Long Point a 4.30 p.m.; returned on board at 7.15 p.m.; weather too foggy to proceed.

Friday, 21.—Went into Mingan at 4.30 a.m. Yacht *Sancta Cecilia* still here. Mr. Denniston of Montreal and party are fishing the Mingan. Father Arneau is here on his mission to the Indians; weather thick all day; at 8 p.m., clearing up a little; tried to get out but were unable, and had to anchor for the night off Long Point.

Saturday, 22.—Left Long Point in the fog at 7.30 a.m., and anchored at Macdonald's Cove at 2.45 p.m.; fishing good; both herring and cod being abundant; the fishermen from here are all anxious that the North Shore Packet should call along this coast; there is only the contractor who runs the boat to English Bay, that finds it of any use. This boat is irregular and no one can depend on her. The Packet herself would call here for the sum that it costs to keep the boat going. Left here at 4 p.m., and anchored off Fox Bay at 11 p.m.

Sunday, 23.—Went into Fox Bay in my boat at 5 a.m.; fishing poor. These people expect to be removed by the Department this fall; there is no use their remaining here as they cannot make enough to live. Left here at 8 a.m., for Heath Point; landed at Heath Point at 9.30 a.m.; all well at the Light; continued to Cormorant Point, where we landed at 2 p.m.; no fishing; continued on at 3:45 to South Point; all well at the Light. Left here at 8.15 p.m.; to return to Fox Bay to settle some disputes which could not be arranged to-day being Sunday.

Monday, 24.—Anchored off Fox Bay at 2.30 a.m., landed at 5 a.m.; arranged the troubles and left again at 9 a.m., for Shallop Creek. Left here at 5 p.m., and continued for the wreck of the steamship *Lartington*.

Tuesday, 25.—Went aboard the *Lartington* at 12.30 a.m., and met Mr. Paint, M.P., the owner, who hopes to get her afloat in a couple of weeks; returned on board *La Canadienne* at 1 a.m., and left for the South-West Point; landed at 5 a.m.; all well. Left again at 6 a.m., for Jupiter River. Capt. Setter was still doing well with his salmon-fishery. Left here for Point St. Peter at 8:30 a.m.; landed at the Point at 5:30 p.m.; fishing at the Point good. Left here for Gaspé where we anchored at 9 p.m. Heavy storm of thunder and lightning, with rain and hail.

Wednesday, 26.—Cleaning and painting ship; engineer blew off his boilers.

Thursday, 27.—Left for Percé at 9 30 a.m.; anchored there at 1 p.m. Took on board Hon. P. Fortin and left Percé at 6 p.m. for the Magdalen Islands.

Friday, 28.—Anchored at Etang du Nord at 9 a.m.; and landed on the breakwater; fishing good here: lobsters abundant.

Saturday, 29.—Left for Amherst at 2.15 a.m.; and landed there at 7.30 a.m.; fishing poor; left at 7 p.m. for House Harbour, where anchored for the night at 9 p.m.

Sunday, 30.—Landed at 9.30 a.m.; crew attended church; fishing poor; some of the vessels had returned from the north shore, having done nothing, they report that since the time of my visit to the north shore nothing had been done; crossed to Cap aux Meules in the afternoon, and took on board Mr. Rosa, the Inspector of the works at the breakwater; left here at 7 p.m. for Port Daniel.

Monday, 31.—Anchored in Port Daniel Bay at 3 p.m.; salmon fishery had been better than last year; the nets are all up; cod fishing poor; left here at 5.10 p.m. for Newport, and landed at Newport at 6.45 p.m.; fishing good; left here at 9.30 p.m., and anchored at Percé at 12, midnight.

Tuesday, August 1.—Landed at Percé at 9 a.m.; fishing good; found the American schooner *Challenger*, of Gloucester, and *Moses B. Lindscote*, of Harpswell, U. S.; these two schooners are looking for bait; they had called at the Magdalen Islands, Port Daniel and elsewhere along the coast; the larger part of their crews are composed of men from Nova Scotia; left Percé at noon; landed at Grand Grève at 3 p. m; left Grand Gréve, where the fishing was poor, at 4.30 p. m., and anchored on Gaspé Harbour at 6.30 p. m., hauled into wharf, and got ready to coal.

Wednesday, 2.—Coaling all day.

Thursday, 3.—Finished coaling at 8 a. m. Arrested and tried a fisherman for desertion; sentenced him to two months' imprisonment. Left at 11 a. m. for Percé; landed prisoner at 2.30 p. m. Left Perce at 4.15 for South-West Point, Anticosti.

Friday, 4.—Anchored at South-West Point at 1 a.m.; landed at 8 a. m. All well here. Left at 10.15 for the *Lartington*; called at the wreck at 11.30; found work getting on slowly. Left here at 5 p. m., and anchored for the night at Lac Sallé, where there is a good anchorage from northerly winds.

Saturday, 5.—Left at 3.30 a. m. for Natashquan. On passing Heath Point the keeper signalled that a doctor was wanted; landed at 1 p. m., and found one of keeper's children down with fever. Left again at 1.45 p. m., and continued for Natashquan.

Sunday, 6.—Come to off Natashquan at 1 a. m.; at 4.30 went into the harbour. Fishing was over, and had been extremely good.

Monday, 7.—Left at 4 a. m. for Agwanus, where we landed at 6 a. m. The fishing had been good here, especially the salmon. Continued to Nabissippi, where we landed at 10 a. m.. Arranged a number of disputes at these places. Left at noon. Called at Watsheeshoo, where we found Boyle, the Local Guardian, who reports plenty of salmon in the river. Continued for Piashter Bay; fishing poor here. Anchored at Esquimaux Point at 8 p. m.; here found most of the vessels back from the cod-fishery; they had done very little, not averaging more than 100 cwts. Unless the fall herring fishery is good, there will be much misery here next winter.

Tuesday, 8.—Left at 11 a.m., and anchored at Mingan at 1.45 p.m.; found here the Hudson's Bay Company's ship *Tropic* bound for Esquimaux Bay. The Indians here are badly off. Left at 3.10 p.m. for St. John's River, where anchored and landed at 5.30 p.m. Fishing poor.

Wednesday, 9.—Left St. John's at 6 a.m. and landed at Magpie at 8 a.m. Fishing poor here also. Found sick here recovering from the scurvy. These resident fishermen here live in mouldy, damp houses; the food they have is badly prepared. They are careless about cultivating the soil; in fact, they don't attempt to raise anything. Both here and elsewhere on this coast, we find attached to all the fishing rooms good gardens, in which may be found lettuce, cabbages, turnips, potatoes, radishes, cucumbers, and even cellery. If the fishermen resident on the coast would only display a little energy in this matter, there would be no scurvy among them. Left Magpie at 11 a.m. and called at Sheldrake at 1.45 p.m. Fishing poor, but little more than half a fishery. Left again at 2.30 for Moisie, but weather coming thick with east wind were unable to land there, and kept on into Seven Islands, where anchored at 10 p.m.

Thursday, 10.—Landed at Hudson's Bay Post at 8 a.m. Fishing poor. American schooner *Yankee Lass* in her mackerel fishing. At 1 p.m. left for Moisie, where landed at 4 p.m.; fishing poor; boats not out to-day. Left here at 8.30 p.m. for West Point, Anticosti.

Friday, 11.—Arrived at West Point and landed at 4 a.m. All well at Light. Fishing poor in English Bay. No bait. In l'Anse aux Fraises fishing is better. Left at 8 a.m. and went into Ellis Bay, where anchored at 10 a.m.; landed and visited Captain Setter's farm; he has here as fine fields of timothy and red clover as one will see anywhere in this Province. He has also about twenty head of well-bred Ayreshire cattle and two horses. He was busy cutting his hay, of which he has a splendid crop. He uses a mowing machine and a horse rake. If some of the other residents of this Island showed the same commendable industry, the Government would not have so many to feed every winter. At all the lighthouses on the Island we find good farms, and particularly fine crops of vegetables. Returned on board at 12.30 p.m., but weather too thick to proceed.

Saturday 12.—Clearing up, left at 3.30 a.m. for Becscie River, but heavy swell from south-west prevented us from landing there. Kept on for South-West Point, where called at 8.30 a.m.; took on board Mr. Labourdais, of the Telegraph Service; left the South-West Point at 11.45 a.m.; called at the wreck of the *Lartington* at 1.15. The tug *Conqueror* had just arrived from Quebec with two powerful steam pumps and a number of extra hands. Left here at 2.15 for Percé, arriving off Gaspé Head at 10 p.m.; decided to run into Gaspé; anchored there at 12 midnight.

Sunday, 13.—Raining hard all day; crew attended church.

Monday, 14.—Refilled ballast tanks. Left Gaspe at 3.45 p.m. for Cape de Rosier; landed at the Cape at 7 p.m.; fishing poor; all well at the light; returned on board at 9.15 p.m.; remained at anchor here for the night.

Tuesday, 15.—Left at 4 a. m. for Percé, where anchored at 6.30 a. m.; landed at 8 a. m.; fishing good. Crossed in the afternoon to Bonaventure Island, fishing good here also.

Wednesday, 16.—At 7 a. m. came round into North Beach—Capt. Bolduc; sounded the cove and selected a spot where a mooring buoy should be placed so that vessels would not carry away the herring nets. Left Percé at 3 p. m. for Barachois, Mal Baie where landed, at 4.15 p. m.; fishing had been good here this season. Returned on board at 8 p. m. and left for Perce, where called for mails and took on board Hon. P. Fortin. Left at 11.15 p. m. for Cape Chatte. Dr. Fortin has been requested by the Minister of Marine to aid in collecting material for the Fisheries' Exhibition.

Thursday, 17.—Night thick and foggy; passed Cape de Rosier by the gun; weather clouded up at 8 a. m.; when we were passing Lorne Point, come on during the day to blow fresh from the north-west. We put into Mont Louis and anchored there at 2 p. m.; landed. Fishing poor. Returned on board at 10 p. m.; remained here all night; heavy squalls from north-north-west.

Friday, 18.—Left Mont Louis at 5 a. m.; passed Martin River at 8.45 a. m.; still blowing from the west with heavy sea; unable to land at Cape Chatte; we came to anchor in Ste. Ann's Bay behind the reef; landed at 1 p. m.; fishing here a complete failure. People say it is due to the schools of white porpoises having chased away the capelin and other smaller fishes on which the cod feed. Returned on board at 8 p. m.; remained here all night.

Saturday 19.—Still heavy swell from the north-north-west; at noon wind moderating, left Ste. Ann's for Cape Chatte, where anchored and landed at 2.30 p. m.; no fish at all here this season. Left here at 9 p. m. for Grand Vallée.

Sunday, 20.—Landed at Grand Vallée at 5 a. m.; left again at 6 a. m. and anchored at Chlorydorme at 8 a. m.; crew attended church. Poor fishing here, no fish in shore but plenty in deep water at 100 fathoms. This requires three lines and extra moorings and sinkers, and when the current is strong, it is impossible to fish at all. The fish taken in deep water are large and beside the cod, the fishermen take a fish which they call Norway haddock, a sort of rock fish. Left here at 1.25 p. m. and anchored at Fox River at 4.15 p. m.; landed at once. At 7 p. m. the *Newfield* came to anchor in the cove alongside of us. The Hon. A. W. McLelan, Minister of Marine and Fisheries, was on board. The *Newfield* had been laying a cable at the mouth of the Saguenay River, and was now bound to the Bird Rocks to repair the cable there. Received instruction from the Minister to aid Dr. Fortin in selecting material for the exhibition. The *Newfield* left again at 9.30 p. m.

Monday, 21.—Landed again at 7 a. m.; plenty of herring had been taken during the night. Left here at 9.15 a. m., and landed at l'Anse à Griffond at 10.15 a. m.; fishing poor. Left at 12.30 p. m. for Cap des Rosièrs, where landed at 2 p.m. Repairs to the tower are nearly completed. Left here at 4.45 p. m. for Percé, where anchored at 5 p. m.

Tuesday, 22.—Landed at Percé at 9.30 a.m., fishing had been slack since our last visit, left Percé at 6 p.m. for Paspebiac.

Wednesday, 23.—Anchored at Paspebiac at 1 a.m.; landed at 9 a.m.; vivited the establishment of Messrs. C. Robin & Co., and Messrs. LeBoutillier Bros., also drove to the residence of His Honour the Lieut.-Governor, who is spending some time on the coast.

Thursday, 24.—Left Paspebiac at 4 p.m. for Carleton; landed there at 8.30 p.m.; salmon fishing had been poor here, no cod fishing; met Mr. Cullen the F. O. who reports all quiet.

Friday, 25.—Left Carleton, having a pilot on board, at 4 a.m., and anchored at Campbelton at 8.25 a.m.; landed and met Mr. Verge, who reported the net fishing better than last year, though the fishing was by no means a good one, there was more competition for the fish, and a higher price realized. There is a good deal of

grumbling an the Quebec side over the fact that the New Brunswick fishermen are allowed to use a net very much resembling a trap, and that their fishing season is two weeks longer than ours ; when we consider the distance is not more than a mile across here it will be seen how unfair this is, there are at least three nets on the New Brunswick side for one on ours. The fly fishermen had done well on the Restigouche, the club pool did well late in the season. The Matapedia fishing had not been as good as usual. Left Campbelton at 1 p.m., called at Dalhonsie for an hour, and anchored at Carleton at 7 p.m.

Saturday, 26.—Left Carleton at daylight for Maria ; landed at 6 a.m. ; fishing poor. Spring herring had been plentiful along this coast. Salmon fishing had been poorer at Maria and Carleton than at any other places on the coast. Left here at 11 a.m. and anchored at Big Bonaventure at 2 p.m. Spring herring had been very plentiful here. There were no fall herring. Several cargoes of spring herring had been sent from here to Boston, U.S., where they sold well. Left Boneventure at 3.45 p.m. for Paspebiac ; anchored at Paspebiac at 5 p.m. Sinnett, one of our sailors, to-day refused duty and became very violent and abusive to the officers. He was sent to Carlisle jail for six weeks.

Sunday, 27.—Crew attended church this morning. Left Paspebiac at 3.30 p.m. taking on board a number of fishermen who had returned from the north shore, and had been carried past Grand River and Newport during the gales of the last two days, Anchored at Newport at 6.30 p.m. ; fishing good here ; remained at anchor here all night.

Monday, 28.—Left at daylight for Grand River, where landed at 6.15 a.m.; weather had been very rough here lately, as a consequence the boats could not go out, but the fishing here is an average one ; fishermen report fish in abundance at Miscou bank. Many trawls have been lost during the late gales and a good many boats have been damaged along the coast. Left Grand River at 9 a.m., and anchored at Little River at 10 a.m. ; fishing good. Left here at 11 a.m., and anchored at Cape Despair at 11.30 a.m. ; landed at once ; the lobster fishing here had been poor ; many traps were lost during the gales, and others had been cut adrift by the cod-fishermen when drifting for herring. Left Cape Despair at 12.30 p.m., and anchored and landed at Cape Cove at 1.30 p.m.; codfishing here not so good as last year. Left Cape Cove at 5.15 p.m. for Percé ; anchored and landed at Percé at 6.30 p.m. ; fishing good.

Tuesday, 29.—Left South Beach Percé at 8.45 a.m., and crossed to Bonaventure Island ; fishing good at the island. Left Bonaventure Island at 11 a.m., and anchored in North Beach Percé. Left North Beach at 2 p.m., and anchored at 3.30 p.m. at Chien Blanc. Left Chien Blanc at 4.30 p.m., and called at Douglastown at 6.15 p.m.; left here at 7 p.m., and at 8.30 p.m. made fast to the Government coal wharf, Gaspé, and prepared to coal in the morning.

Wednesday, 30.—Gaspé ; coaling.

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Friday, September 1. Gaspé ; hauled into stream and began scraping and cleaning the ship ; engineer scaling the boilers.

Saturday, 2.—Drove to Jam, in Douglastown River ; painting ship.

Sunday, 3.—Gaspé ; crew to church.

Monday, 4.—Foggy and wet ; left Gaspé at noon ; too thick to proceed ; come to off Douglastown and anchored for night.

Tuesday, 5.—Left Douglastown at 5 a.m., and anchored at Point St. Peter at 7 ; left the point again at 9 a.m., bound for the Straits of Belle Isle ; found it blowing a strong north-west breeze outside of Cape Gaspé, so came to under Cape de Rosier at 11.30 a.m. ; landed ; fishing poor ; bait scarce ; wind moderating in the evening ; left Cap des Rosiers at 8 p.m., and come too off the wreck of the *Lartington* at Brig Cove, Anticosti. at 2 a.m.

Wednesday, 6.—Went aboard the wreck at 5.30 a.m. ; they are now platforming her, the other means of floating her by wedging up the leaks having failed. Left her at 8.15, for the South-West Point; left South-West Point at 10.30 a.m.,

and anchored and landed at Becscie River at 2.30. Ascah had not done well with this salmon fishery; left here at 4.30 p.m., and rounded West Point; at 9.30 p.m., blowing strong west breeze, unable to land here, kept on for the north shore.

Thursday, 7.—Anchored off Magpie at 1.30 a.m., landed at 6 a.m.; most of the fishermen had gone home, but ten boats had remained, and these with the shore people were doing well. Left Magpie at 9 a.m., and landed at St. John River at 10.30. The south shore people had all gone home, the local boats were doing well. Left St. Johns at 3:45 p.m.; blowing strong north-east breeze, continued to Mingan, where we anchored at 6 p.m. The whaling schooner *Admiration*, Capt. Tripp, of Gaspé, had called here on her way home from Grosse Water Bay. Labrador, owing to great quantity of ice to north, and the general roughness of the season, Capt. Tripp had done poorly, he had lately killed and saved a whale off the Mingan Islands, which his "trier" was now trying out here, while the vessel was cruising off the Mingan Islands where other whales were reported.

Friday, 8.—Left Mingan at 10 a.m., and anchored at Esquimaux Point at 1 p.m.; condenser leaking, engineer renewing tubes.

Saturday, 9.—Still repairing condenser; gale of east wind outside.

Sunday, 10.—During morning wind changed to west with clear weather, left for the eastward at 10.45 a.m. Heavy sea outside, and being unable to make Natashguan Harbor decided to keep right on as wind was fair.

Monday, 11.—Made land in morning below Cape Whittle, and anchored at Whale Head at 3.45 p.m., fishing over, herring and mackerel plenty among the Islands. Left here for 5.15 p.m. for Mutton Bay where anchored for the night at 7 p.m.

Tuesday, 12.—Went at 10 a.m. inside in boat to Meccatina Harbor, steamer going round outside to meet us, called at Leandre Michels found him busy splitting mackerel, he has just taken fifty barrels in his seine, they were fat and large. Rejoined steamer in Red Bay at 12.15 p.m., and went into La Tabatière, the fishing (seal) station of Mr. Samuel Robertson, J.P. Left here at 2.30 and crossed Samuel Gaumont's at Big Meccatina Island, anchored here at 3.45 p.m. Gaumont reports that soon after we were last here the vessels all left for the eastward having done nothing, a few days after they had left the cod appeared in quantity.

Wednesday, 13.—Left Grand Meccatina at 7.30 a.m. and proceeded outside to Bonne Esperance; weather thick, with south-east wind, anchored in Bonne Esperance at 4.15 p.m., and landed at Mr. Whitely's; the fishing had been poor. Salmon fishing had been remarkably good. Mr. Whitely was preparing to leave the season being closed.

Thursday, 14.—At 6 a.m. steamed over to Salmon Bay. Mr. Jay preparing to leave as soon as he has shipped his fish on the steamer which he is daily expecting—fishery had been a poor one. A large factory for the manufacture of manure from fish offal is being built here. Left Salmon Bay at 10 a.m. for Blanc Sablons, called at Middle Bay, Five Leagues and Little Harbour. Vessels all gone home with the exception of five from Newfoundland who were in Middle Bay drying their fish. Two French vessels had been here fishing some weeks ago, but we saw nothing of them. Anchored at Blanc Sablons at 2 p.m. The fishing was over here and every one was getting ready to leave, a few herring had been taken here but they were small. Left here at 4.50 p.m. and ran down to Forteau Bay, where anchored off Davis' in Amour Cove at 8.45; all well at the Light. At 9 p.m. were obliged to change our anchorage and run over under the land at the westward side of the Bay, as the wind was coming down strong; was called ashore at midnight to visit a sick girl on one of the rooms.

Friday, 15.—Morning thick and raining, found we were anchored close alongside of the steamship *Zembra*, bound to Salmon Bay to load fish for Messrs. Joy and Whitely. At 6 a.m. got under weigh for Flowers Cove, Newfoundland, to look for the Esquimaux Point, herring fleet; the *Zembra* got under weigh for Salmon Bay at the same time. It was quite thick, we could hear the fog-gun at Greenly Island, but we never heard the fog-whistle at Forteau, though we were not two miles away from it; steamed on slowly and at 9 a.m. made the land off Flowers Cove, anchored

and landed at 9.45 a.m. I called on the Collector of Customs, to see how it was that he had compelled some of our fishing schooners to pay duty on the salt and barrels that they had on board to pack their herring in, and which were not landed. He denied to me that he had done so, but the fact remains that he did compel Captain J. Cormier of the *Ste. Marguerite* and Captain Charles LeBrun of the *Pioneer*, both of Esquimaux Point, to pay the sum of $8 each. He at first wanted to charge them more, but consented to let them off on the payment of this sum as a sort of black mail, he could have no right to collect anything from them as they were fishermen and had no idea of landing anything. The fact that these two schooners had to pay this sum, deterred the others from calling on this part of the coast for fear they would all have to submit to the same lifting. We found that our schooners had not been here, and left for St. Barbis off which port we called at 11.45 a.m., they were not here either and we continued to Old Ferreal where we heard that the fleet we were looking for was in Old Port au Choix, off which harbour we anchored at 5.30 p.m. Here we found the whole of the Esquimaux Point fleet. Those that had come direct to this port had done well as herring had been plentiful. Six of the vessels had continued on down the Labrador, these had done nothing and had just returned here, but the fishing was just over and the herring disappearing. Our fishermen had received considerable help from the French fishermen, who had lent them seines and helped them to hawl them. Some of the schooners were now ready to return and intended working out in the morning. Mr. Paint, M.P., the owner of the wrecked steamship *Lartington* had complained to me that his steamer had been plundered during the month of April last by a sealing schooner named the *Elizabeth*. I found the schooner here, and on charging the captain with the offence he confessed and promised to restore the material; this was the best I could do with him, as the only witness to the plundering, the guardian of the wreck, is now in the States.

Saturday, 16.—At 6 a.m. we got up the anchor and went into New Port au Choix, where I landed and visited the French fishing establishments of Messrs. Lampière and Huot. These gentlemen have here engaged in the cod-fishery about 450 men. The season has been a poor one with them. They complain bitterly of the way the fishery on the French coast is being destroyed by the Newfoundland seiners. The French fish entirely with the trawl. They put a great deal more salt in their fish than we do on the Gaspé coast. With fine weather they hope to leave for France in about two weeks. They seem to think that if the Newfoundlanders are allowed to fish on this coast, and especially to seine, then the French will have to abandon it, as even now, in spite of the large bounties they get, the fishery is not profitable. The fishing vessels here are all from St. Malo. Left Port au Choix at noon, and put into Chicatica at 6 p.m. Strong south-east wind, with rain, and a heavy sea in crossing.

Sunday, 17.—Left Chicatica at 7 a. m., and reached Big Meccatina at 12.30 p.m. It was blowing a gale when we made the harbour, where we had to anchor under both anchors.

Monday, 18.—Left Meccatina at 5 a.m., and anchored in Mutton Bay at 6.15; left here again at 7.45 for Whale Head (it froze hard this morning), where we landed at 9 a.m. Called at Nadian's and Canty's. Left at 11.25 a.m. for Harrington Harbour, where we landed at 3 p.m. The people here are busy getting out their wood for winter. There are no vessels about the coast from Bonne Espérance here. Left at 4 a m. for Ship Harbour, but darkness came on so quickly we could not make our way in, so had to stand out to sea.

Tuesday, 19.—Wind kept changing during the early part of the night from south to north, and finally, towards 2 a.m., it settled in the south south-west, and blew a gale with a heavy sea at 8 a.m. Made Kégashka; tried to enter the harbour, as I wanted to pick up McLeod, the Overseer, but we were unable to enter; the sea was breaking right across the entrance. Stood off again, and at 12 tried to enter Natashquan Harbour, but were afraid to venture in here also, so stood out again. At 3 p.m. the weather brightened a little, and we got into Natashquan, where we anchored for

the night. Fishing entirely over here. The local vessels had left for Quebec with their herring and oil.

Wednesday, 20.—Left Natashquan at 6 a.m. Wind north; cold, and snowing. Called at Watsheeshoe, but finding no one there, kept on to Esquimaux Point, where we anchored at 4.15 p.m. The people here were glad to hear of the success of the herring fishery. This was the first news they had heard from their vessels.

Thursday, 21.—Left at 5.15 a.m. for Mingan, where we landed at 7.15. Left here again at 9 a.m. Called at Long Point. People here were still catching fish, of better quality than the summer fish. Left here at 11.45 for St. John's. Landed at St. John's at 1 p.m. Fishing over here. Returned on board at 3.30, and left for Magpie, where we landed at 4.45. Fishing entirely over; still plenty fish on the banks, but no bait. Left Magpie at 6 p. m., and anchored in Mingan at 9.15 p. m.

Friday, 22.—At 8 a.m. put the ship ashore on the sandbank at Mingan in the hopes of being able to clean her bottom which is very foul, the rise and fall of tide is so little that we failed to do much, found the grass about five inches long on her bottom, at 7 30 p.m. backed off the bank and anchored in stream. Weather cloudy with east wind.

Saturday, 23.—Gale of south-east wind with rain and fog.

Sunday, 24.—Weather cleared up at noon, left Mingan for Anticosti; called at Esquimaux Point. Kept on in the evening.

Monday, 25.—Night thick, going at half speed at 8 a.m., made the land at Salmon River at 10 a.m. Allison had done well here at salmon fishing. Herrings here plentiful. Thick fog all day, remained anchored off here.

Tuesday, 26.—Cleared up at 5 a m. left for Fox Bay, landed at 7 a.m.; people here have done nothing lately, they are all waiting for the *Napoleon* to take them away. I had orders to take any that wanted so return to Prince Edward Island but in this harbour they all intended going west. Left Fox Bay at 1 p.m. On passing Health Point was signaled to call for telephones, on landing found messages from Mr. Paint and Hon. P. Fortin asking me to call at the wreck of *Lartington* and help the tugs to tow her off.

Tuesday, 26.—Left Health Point at 3.35 p.m., called at Cormorant Point and took on board Marshall and his family who were leaving the island for Prince Edward Island. Left Cormorant Point at 5.45 p.m., and kept on along the south side of Anticosti.

Wednesday, 27—Called at the *Lartington*, Mr. Duclos of Point Levis is now in charge of the wreck, the late southerly gale did some damage to his pumps, and he will need others from Quebec before he keeps her free. Continued all along shore and called at South-west Point to land some telegraph material which I had taken on at Cormorant Point. Left South-west Point at 11.15 a.m. for Gaspé; at 3 p.m., met with the tug *Conquerer* of Quebec, inward bound with the bark *Ellen Grant* in tow with loss of mainmast, arrived at Gaspé at 8 p.m. and made fast to Eden's wharf.

Thursday, 28.—Coaling.

Friday, 29.—Coaling all day finished at 6 p.m.

Saturday, 30.—Hauled into stream at day light, cleaning and painting ship. Left Gaspé at 7.30 p.m. for Tignish, Prince Edward Island to land people from Anticosti.

October, Sunday, 1.—Weather thick, made Tignish breakwater at 3 p.m., landed passengers and left at 4 p.m. for Magdalen Islands.

Monday, 2.—Come on to blow from North-east during night, made the Islands at 3 a.m., and at 5 a.m. anchored under the Moulin for shelter, blowing a gale of north-east, landed at 9 a.m., and met Mr. Chevrier, fishery overseer, who reports fishing poor. Summer herring missed altogether, but there will be no distress this winter as the crops are a fair average, and the prices received for all kinds of fish and oils have been very good, returned on board at noonand wind changing into north-north-west, left the Moulin and steamed round Entry Island into Pleasant Bay anchoring off House Harbor at 4 p.m. blowing too hard to land.

Tuesday, 3.—Landed at House Harbour at 6 a.m. Vessels all loading for Halifax. Left here at 9 a.m. and landed at Cap aux Meules. Left there at 1 p.m. for Amherst, where landed at 3.45 p.m. Many complaints here from people who were down herring fishing on Newfoundland, Labrador, and were driven away by the Newfoundland fishermen. (This happened at Sizis Harbour, near Cape Charles.)

Wednesday, 4.—Left Amherst at 5.30 a.m. for Grosse Isle; wind west; cloudy, with showers. Passed Grosse Isle at 11 a.m. Unable to land; crossed and anchored under the lee of Bryan Island at 1 p.m. Landed on Bryan Island; fishing here poor. A lobster factory is being built here. Returned on board at 5 p.m. Blowing a gale of north-west.

Thursday, 5.—Blowing a gale of north-west all day.

Friday, 6.—Still blowing a gale of north north-west.

Saturday, 7.—Wind changed during night to south-west, and blew half a gale. During the morning it hauled into the west, and in afternoon it was again south-west at 2.30 p.m. decided to leave here, as wind and sea were on shore.

Saturday, 7.—Steamed round the East Cape and anchored under Old Harry Head. Heavy sea here, and ship rolling heavily.

Sunday, 8.—Wind lulled a little during night at 8 a.m. Steamed round to Grosse Isle to land telegraph material and take on board Mr. Labourdais, with the view of landing him at Bird Rocks to examine the office and the cable, to find out if possible why the cable was not working. Took Mr. Labourdais on board at noon. Weather squally. At 7.30 p.m. weather again rough, with strong north-west wind. Had to change our anchorage and go over under the lee of the Bryan Island.

Monday, 9.—At 4 a.m., sea and wind having fallen, we decided to try and land at the Bird; anchored near the Bird, at 6 a.m., in thick fog. Tried several times to make a landing; finally had to give it up, after swamping our boat at the landing near the main derrick. Weather was very thick, and light breeze coming from the south-east. We were afraid to hang on here any longer, so decided to return to Bryan and take off the carpenters who had been sent there from the Rock some weeks ago. Left at 9 a.m. for Bryan, which we made in the fog at noon. Took on board the carpenters, and left to land Mr. Labourdais at Grosse Isle. I left word at the Bryan for the *Napoleon*, when she called for these carpenters, that if the weather was fine she might try to get Labourdais on the rock. Landed Labourdais at Grosse Isle at 2 p.m. Weather still foggy. Left at once for Etang du Nord. At 4 p.m. the weather cleared, and we anchored at Etang du Nord at 7 p.m. The general opinion in the Gulf is that the lighthouse at Etang du Nord should be on Wolf Island, or at the west end of Bryan Island. Most of the wrecks that take place on the west side of these islands, occur at or near Wolf Island. If the West Point Light had been on the West Point, it would have answered all the purposes of the both lights as now placed.

Tuesday, 10.—Blew hard from south-west during the night; landed at Etang du Nord at 6 a.m. to see the remains of the breakwater, which had been partly carried away by the last north-wester. A good deal of damage has been done to the stages and boats by the wreckage of the breakwater as it came ashore. Fortunately there were no vessels behind the breakwater when it gave way. Left Etang du Nord at 8 a.m., and had a good deal of difficulty to regain the ship; heavy sea from south-west. Left at once for Gaspé. At noon wind howled to the west and north, and, finally, at 2 p.m., we had a whole gale of north-west. Ship making about a knot and a half.

Wednesday, 11.—Had a rough night of it; during morning had heavy squalls, with rain and snow. Made Bonaventure Island at 4 a.m., and as we got under the Gaspé land the sea moderated; anchored in Gaspé Basin at midnight. This was the heaviest weather we have had in the *Canadienne* as yet; we find her wanting in power.

Thursday, 12.—Taking in water and clearing up.

Friday, 13.—Cleaning up all day. At 7 p.m. left for Anticosti, as Mr. Charles LeBoutillier had informed that a number of men were on the north side of Anticosti

without provisions; that the schooner which was to have called for them had put back with her mainmast sprung and would be unable to return.

Saturday, 14.—Called at South-West Point at 4 a.m. and landed Mr. Annett, the Superintendent of the Government Telegraph lines. Left South-West Point at 8 a.m. for Beescie River, but could not land there, so kept on to West Point, where landed at 3 p.m. Steamer went in and anchored at English Bay, and Mr. Malouin drove Mr. Annett round. A new telegraph office has been opened here by Mr. Annett, and left in good working order. Fishing entirely over here; nearly all the boats had been wrecked during the last north-west gale. Many of the inhabitants are ready to leave by the *Napoleon*. Left English Bay at 11 p. m. for Macdonald's Cove.

Sunday, 15.—Called at Macdonald's Cove at 10.30 a.m., and found that the fishermen had been taken off here two days ago by the schooner *Ranger*. Employed Mr. Macdonald to collect for me the statistics for the north side of the Island. Kept on to Mauzeroll River and found that the fishermen had been taken off during the preceding evening by a passing schooner. There can be no doubt that the *North Shore Packet* should call regularly on the north side of the Island. She calls at South-West Point, English Bay and Fox Bay; but on the north side, where most of the inhabitants are during the summer, and where more than one-half of the fish of the Island is taken, she does not call at all.

Saturday, 15.—Left Mauzeroll at 4 p. m., and called at Heath Point at 10 p. m. Left there at midnight.

Monday, 16.—Landed at South Point Light at 6 a. m. Put ashore supplies for Keeper, which we brought from Gaspé. Left here at 9.30 a. m., and called at Shallop Creek at 11:45 a. m. Left here at 1 p. m., for South-West Point, when touched at 8 p. m., and left for Gaspé at once.

Tuesday, 17.—Anchored in Gaspé at 4.30 a. m. Left Gaspé at 1 p.m. for Duglastown, to take on board the Rev. T. H. Bossé, Prefect Apostolic for the north shore; began loading his effects at 3 p. m., and continued till dark.

Wednesday, 18.—Loading all morning, having finished at 1.30 p.m. Mr. Bossé and party came on board and we left for Griffin Cove, where we called at 5 p. m., and took aboard a school teacher. Kept on at once for Chlorydorme, where we took on board the Rev. Mr. Rioux and brother, and left at 10 p m. for Magpie.

Thursday, 19.—Landed at Magpie at 8 a. m.; Left here the Rev. Mr. Rioux, Missionary for this part of the coast, and at 11 a. m. left for Esquimaux Point; anchored at Esquimaux Point at 5.30 p. m.; landed Monseignieur Bossé and party, and began unloading.

Friday, 20.—Finished unloading at 10 a. m., and left at 10.30 for Mingan; called at Mingan at 1 p.m., and left again at 1.30 p.m.; called off St John's River, but could not land; wind westerly with heavy swell; at 4 p. m. altered our course and kept away for the south shore.

Saturday, 21.—Anchored in South Beach Percé at 6 a.m., and landed; fish plenty. Left Percé at 3 p.m., for Magdalen Islands.

Sunday, 22.—Landed at Etang du Nord at 6 a. m. Since our last visit the breakwater has been gradually breaking; the back wall is now entirely gone out of it. Fishing has been very good here lately, when the boats could get out. Drove through to House Harbour; sending steamer round to Pleasant Bay to meet me. Crops are good on the island; vessels are all now away at Halifax to sell the fish and oil and bring back supplies. Left Cap aux Meules at 4.45 p. m., and crossed to Amherst. At 8 p.m., wind freshening from south-east; decided to get out of Pleasant Bay, and run for Bay Chaleurs. Left all well at the Island for the winter,

Monday, 23.—South-east wind and fog; passed Miscou at 4 p. m., and anchored in Paspebiac at 9 p. m.

Tuesday, 24.—Gale of south south-east wind, with rain.

Wednesday, 25.—Still blowing hard; clearing up at noon. Left for Port Daniel, where landed at 3.30 p. m. Salmon fishing here, though poor, was better than last year; the cod and mackerel fishing was not as good as usual. Were unable to get

back to the ship on account of the heavy swell on shore; at midnight sea fell and we managed to get on board

Thursday, 26.—Left Port Daniel Bay at 6 a.m., and landed at Newport Point at 7.45 a.m. Summer fishing here had been an average one, due to the roughness of the early summer. Cod was always plentiful, but sometimes bait was scarce. The fall fishery had been most abundant, the weather had been calmer than in summer, and bait (squid) plentiful. Several fishermen had taken 200 drafts of fish in their "fall," and they were still fishing. Left here at 9.30 a.m. for Grand River, when loaded at 10.45 a.m. Summer fishing here average. Fall fishing most abundant. Took on board here the exhibit of Messrs. C. Robin & Co. for the London Fishery Exhibition. Left Grand River at 1.45 p.m. for Cape Cove, where landed at 3 p.m. No fishing to-day; boats all hauled up during the late gales. Fall fishing has, however, been very abundant. Left Cape Cove at 5.30 p.m., and anchored at Percé at 6.45 p.m.

Friday, 27.—Landed at Percé in the morning. Fishing here has been above the average, both for the summer and fall. The people all along this section of the coast are better off than I have ever known them to be during my fourteen years on the coast. A great many people are leaving the coast this fall for the west, where the high wages on the railway works and in the lumber camps, are offering such inducements to able and active men for the winter. The rates of passage have been lowered by the Intercolonial and Gulf Ports managements. This offers an additional inducement to the coast people to go away, as there is but little work on the coast for such a large population. It is to be hoped that enough of them will return in the spring to carry on the fishery. At present it looks as if the fishermen would be scarce next season. Left Percé at 2.15 p.m. for Point St. Peter, passed the Point at 3 35 p.m. Weather being squally, with snow flurries from north-east, did not land at the Point, but kept right on for Gaspé, where landed at 6.30 p.m.

Saturday, 28.—Trimming coals.

Sunday, 29.—Crew at church.

Monday, 30.—Hauled into Laronde's wharf and began taking in firewood.

Tuesday, 31.—Hauled out from wharf and cleaned and painted ship.

Wednesday, November 1.—Got orders to return to Quebec. Left Gaspé at 3 p.m., and anchored at the Point at 6 p.m.

Thursday, 2.—Landed at the Point at 6.30 a.m. Took on board the exhibit of Messrs. J. & E. Collas for the London Fishery Exhibition. Fishing at the Point had been good all season. Left the Point at noon and anchored at L'Anse au Griffond at 4 p.m. Blowing hard from the north-west, with snow.

Friday, 3.—Left at 6.45 a.m. and anchored at Fox River at 8 a.m. Blowing hard from north-west. English topsail schooner *Fanny Fern* ashore here. She came ashore here on Sunday last. Cargo and vessel will be sold to-morrow. Left Fox River at 11 a.m. for Chlorydorme. Landed at Chlorydorme at 2 p.m. Fall fishing had been good here. Left again at 4 p.m. Blowing hard from west, with snow showers. Anchored under Cape Magdalen at 7.30 p.m.

Saturday, 4.—Landed at Cap a L'Ours at 6.30 a.m. Fishing had been poor. Crossed to Light and found Mr. Saverne, the keeper, ill. Left Magdalen River at 9.15 for Mont Louis. Landed at noon. Fishing had been poor at Mont Louis and in the neighbourhood. Left at 1.45 p.m. Landed at St. Annis at 7 p.m. Fishing had been extremely poor here; in summer most of the fishermen abandoned the fishing altogether. Cod fish was plenty during the fall, but very few boats were out. Left St. Ann's at 9 p.m., and continued for Father Point.

Sunday, 5.—Called at Father Point at 10 a.m. for orders. Left again at 10.45. Took pilot on board at 2 p.m. above Bic and continued for Quebec.

Monday, 6.—Arrived in Quebec all well at 11 a.m. and made fast to the Queen's wharf.

WM. WAKEHAM,
Commander, La Canadienne.

No.

STATISTICS OF FISHERIES IN THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC,

Return of Fishing Stations, Number and Value of Fishing Boats and Nets, Shore of the River St. Lawrence, from Point

Names of Places.	Fishing Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	Kinds of Nets Used.										No of Salmon.
				Salmon Nets.			Brush Fisheries with Nets.		Brush Fisheries.		Eel Fisheries.			
	No.	Value.		No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.		
		$				$		$		$		$		
Pointe Lévis	7	181	5	...	...	...	5	1,850	...	...	...	...		139
Beaumont	8	184	5	...	...	...	5	1,850	...	...	...	...		412
St. Michel	6	204	4	...	...	...	4	2,120	...	...	...	...		116
St Valier	3	86	1	...	...	...	1	2,400	...	...	...	...		60
Berthier	6	34	16	...	...	...	4	1,440	...	...	13	700		59
St. Thomas	...	...	16	...	...	...	...	...	7	660	9	515		...
Cap St. Ignace	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	10	690	...	...		...
Anse à Gilles	...	...	5	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	210		...
Isle aux Grues	...	...	12	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	12	1,500		...
L'Islet	...	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	18	911		...
St. Jean Port Joli	...	...	42	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	42	1,885		...
St. Roch	...	...	29	...	...	...	...	...	8	690	21	1,049		...
Ste. Anne	...	...	18	...	...	...	...	...	18	1,230	...	...		...
Rivière Ouelle	2	20	98	3	200	100	1	200	...	...	52	4,123		125
St. Dennis	1	10	25	3	150	50	...	...	3	150	17	820		154
Kamouraska	...	...	22	...	...	...	...	...	4	350	11	570		10
do Isle aux Patins	2	20	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	200	...	...		20
St. André	1	10	25	...	...	...	...	...	7	790	12	345		15
Notre Dame du Portage	...	...	30	...	...	...	...	...	1	90	25	404		...
				Herring Nets.										
Rivière du Loup	8	128	14	...	1,980	370	...	...	2	180	3	85		...
Anse au Percil	5	58	7	...	...	...	...	...	4	480	3	150		250
Cacouna	16	160	19	...	...	...	...	...	11	1,230	5	140		357
Isle Verte (Island)	34	340	38	...	...	...	...	...	17	1,385	...	...		62
do (Mainland)	1	10	15	...	...	...	...	...	9	760	...	...		3
				Herring Nets.										
Lake Témiscouata and Touladi River	9	54	11	11	275	66	...	...	2	60	...	...		...
Pointe à la Loupe	...	...	3	...	...	...	1	20	1	20	...	...		45
Trois Pistoles	2	16	8	...	...	...	...	...	5	255	...	...		30
Cap à l'Aigle	1	5	4	...	...	...	2	50	...	...	...	...		115
St. Simon	2	20	4	...	...	...	2	45	1	20	...	...		67
Port au Pic	...	...	6	...	...	...	3	45	...	...	...	...		230
Pointe à la Cive	1	12	1	...	...	...	1	25	...	...	...	...		15
Anse à Mercier	2	16	3	...	...	...	...	...	1	30	...	...		5
Baie de Ha, Ha, and Cap à l'Orignal	3	24	5	...	...	...	...	...	4	135	...	...		61
St. Fabien	...	...	10	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	5	44		...
Anse au Bouleau	1	6	3	...	...	...	...	...	2	60	...	...		13
Cap Enragé	1	10	1	1	200	40	...	...	...	...	...	...		175
Islet au Flocon	1	4	2	...	...	...	1	30	1	30	...	...		100
Islet à Damour	...	...	2	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...		11
Islet Brulé	1	4	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...		...
Islet au Massacre	1	10	1	...	...	...	...	...	1	20	...	...		10

4.

EXCLUSIVE OF THE GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE FISHERIES.

Number of Men, together with the Yield, Value and Kinds of Fish, on the South Lévis to Cape Chatte, during the Year 1882.

KINDS OF FISH.

No. of Shad.	Herring, barrels.	No. of Eels.	Sturgeon, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Bar and White Fish, doz.	No. of lbs. of Bar Fish.	Trout, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Small Fish, barrels.	No. of Porpoise Skins.	Porpoise Oil, gallons.	Fish for Manure, barrels.
4,900	.....	2,500	22	.....	187	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
15,160	.....	1,550	35	.....	194	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7,200	.....	3,500	28	.....	751	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
6,000	.....	4,000	36	.....	900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,100	.....	3,330	36	.....	863	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	.....	5,030	553	.....	175	3,450	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	72
.....	.....	.....	402	.....	360	760	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	61
.....	.....	1,650	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	33,630	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28
.....	.....	8,940	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	22,190	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	174
.....	.....	23,380	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	409
400	2	25,199	12	.....	.....	1,000	.....	.....	.....	25	2,200	313
11,000	400	88,300	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17	1,224	197
10,300	50	15,200	12	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200
5,800	400	6,130	60	230	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	100
600	200	.....	25	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	.....	700
7,100	750	4,150	85	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	200
400	10	4,925	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	1,700
.....	1,550	1,200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16,000	600	800	.....	150	.....	.....	.....	.....	900	.....	.....	3,800
21,600	1,400	1,200	71	63	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,050
26,400	2,560	.....	50	289	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	.....	4,005
4,900	660	.....	31	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	467
.....	92	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
150	75	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	32
504	.....	312	3	90	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	510
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....
32	46	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	20
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
15	76	.....	.....	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	.....
102	422	.....	.....	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	200	.....	.....
.....	.....	1,050	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
132	105	.....	.....	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	140	.....	.....
110	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
42	64	.....	.....	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	14	60	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....
.....	20	.....	.....	4	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	6	.....	.....
.....	60	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	50	.....	.....

Return of Fishing Stations, Number and Value of Fishing Boats and Nets, Shore of the River St. Lawrence, from Point Lévis

Names of Places.	Fishing Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	Kinds of Nets Used.										No. of Salmon.
				Salmon Nets.			Brush Fisheries with Nets.		Brush Fisheries.		Eel Fisheries.			
	No.	Value.		No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.		
		$				$		$		$		$		
Islet à Canuel	1	8	2	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	80	.....	.....		31
Rivière Hâtée	2	15	2	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	50	.....	.....		4
Anse au Sable	3	30	14	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	205	.....	.....		49
Isle St. Barnabé	.....	.....	3	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	60	.....	.....		23
Rimouski	.....	.....	11	1	75	.....	.....	.....	10	170	.....	.....		231
Ste. Luce	.....	.....	18	1	75	.....	.....	.....	17	290	.....	.....		326
Pointe aux Senelles	.....	.....	2	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	40	.....	.....		16
Metis	.....	.....	4	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	80	.....	.....		15
Petit Metis	.....	.....	2	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	40	.....	.....		14
Boules	.....	.....	3	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	45	.....	.....		.....
Rivière Blanche	.....	.....	10	..	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	180	.....	.....		6
Ste. Felicité	.....	.....	17	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	310	.....	.....		.....
Cherbourg	.....	.....	2	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	20	.....	.....		.....
Dalibaire	.....	.....	3	3	150	60	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		175
Romieux	.....	.....	1	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	20	.....	.....		.....
Matane	.....	.....	17	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	310	.....	.....		.....
Totals	131	1,679	652	23	3,105	686	30	10,075	216	11,455	253	13,451		3,549

Number of Men, together with the Yield, Value and Kinds of Fish, on the South to Cape Chatte, during the Year 1882—*Continued.*

KINDS OF FISH.

No. of Shad.	Herring, barrels.	No. of Eels.	Sturgeon, barrels.	Sardines, barrels.	Bar and White Fish, doz.	No. of lbs. of Bar Fish.	Trout, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Small Fish, barrels.	No. of Porpoise Skins.	Porpoise Oil, gallons.	Fish for Manure, barrels.
26	105	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	45	.....	.....
53	1,360	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	102	.....	.....
173	1,126	.....	.....	126	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	168	.....	.....
2,250	950	.....	.....	125	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
2,100	4,000	250	.....	58	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....	.....	.....
4,195	2,561	.....	.....	737	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	850	.....	.....	275	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	625	.....	.....	280	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	3,100	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	43	.....	.....	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	130	.....	.....	52	.....	.....	.....	2	28	.....	.....	.....
.....	84	.....	70	83	.....	.....	.....	30	21	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	.....	.....
.....	.....	.....	.....	102	.....	.....	.....	.....	45	.....	.....	.....
149,784	24,490	258,476	1,565	3,294	3,430	5,210	6,000	50	1,479	14,769	42	3,424

RECAPITULATION.

YIELD and Value of the different Fisheries, from Point Lévis to Cape Chatte, in 1882.

Kinds of Fish.		Quantities.	Prices.	Value.
			$ cts.	$ cts.
Shad	Pieces	149,784	0 09	13,480 56
Herring	Brls.	24,490	5 00	122,450 00
Salmon	Pieces	3,549	1 50	5,323 50
Eels	do	258,476	0 10	25,847 60
Bar and Whitefish	Doz.	3,430	1 25	4,287 50
Bar Fish	Lbs.	5,210	0 08	416 80
Sturgeon	Brls.	1,565	5 00	7,825 00
Sardines	do	3,294	3 00	9,882 00
Mackerel	do	50	10 00	500 00
Trout	Lbs.	6,000	0 08	480 00
Small Fish	Brls.	1,479	2 00	2,958 00
Porpoise Skins	Pieces	42	4 00	168 00
do Oil	Galls.	3,424	0 50	1,712 00
Fish used as manure	Brls.	14,769	0 25	3,692 25
Total Value of the products of the fisheries in 1882				199,023 21
do do do 1881				170,235 93
Increase				28,787 28

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of the different Fisheries from Point Lévis to Cape Chatte, in 1881-82.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.		1882.	
		Quantities	Value.	Quantities	Value.
			$ cts.		$ cts.
Shad	Pieces	75,377	6,783 93	149,784	13,480 56
Salmon	do	3,297	4,945 50	3,545	5,323 50
Eels	do	152,685	15,268 50	258,476	25,847 60
Herring	Brls.	22,482	112,410 00	24,490	122,450 00
Bar and Whitefish	Doz.	3,138	3,922 50	3,430	4,287 50
Bar Fish	Lbs.	11,400	912 00	5,210	416 80
Sturgeon	Brls.	1,105	5,525 00	1,565	7,825 00
Sardines	do	4,458	13,374 00	3,294	9,882 00
Mackerel	do	46	460 00	50	500 00
Small Fish	do	1,418	2,836 00	1,479	2,958 00
Trout	Lbs.	10,500	840 00	6,000	480 00
Porpoise Skins	Pieces	8	32 00	42	168 00
do Oil	Galls.	488	244 00	3,424	1,712 00
Fish used as manure	Lbs.	10,730	2,682 50	14,769	3,692 25
			170,235 93		199,023 21

RETURN of Fishing Stations, Number and Value of Fishing Boats and Nets, Number of Men, together with the Yield, Value and Kinds of Fish, &c., within the Districts on the North Side of the River St. Lawrence, from Quebec to Bersimis, during the Year 1882.

NAMES OF PLACES.	Fishing Boats.		Number of Fishermen.	KINDS OF NETS USED.										KINDS OF FISH.											Fish for Manure, brls.
				Salmon Nets.			Brush Fisheries with Nets.		Brush Fisheries		Eel Fisheries			No. of Salmon.	No. of Shad.	Herring, brls.	No. of Eels.	Sturgeon, brls.	Sardines, brls.	Bar and White Fish, doz.	Trout, lbs.	No. of Winnonish.	Small Fish, brls.		
	No.	Value.		No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.													
Island of Orleans.		$				$		$		$		$													
St. Laurent			2	2	400	220								110	2300	...		4	...	85					
St. Jean			3	4	880	480								180	2200	...		5	...	195					
St. François (south side of the Island)			11								12	114				...	1455	...	...						
Argentenay			7								7	87				...	2200	...	...						
St. François (north side of the Island)			9						9	157						...	1305	3	...	328					
Ste. Famille			11						11	197						...	630	14	...	1011			11		
North Coast.																									
Chateau Richer			5						5	92						...	95	3	...	128			6		
Ste. Anne			8								8	94				...	390	...	...						
St. Joachim			30								29	290				...	17486	...	...						
Baie St. Paul and neighbouring lakes			23						1	25	33	282		4		...	11775	200	70	250	18100		50		
Isle aux Coudres			43				18	271	46	525						...	5000	...	2				16		5
Les Eboulements			33						16	252	45	349				...	2878	...	...						280
St. Irénée			10						10	146	6	54				...	117	...	...						207
Malbaie			18	1	80	40			17	271	2	60		94		2	24	...	37				6		341
St. Fidèle			5	2	100	53			3	53				123		1		...	8						60
St Siméon			2	2	163	64			1	16				70		1		...	6						60
Petite Rivière St. François Xavier			44																		60100				

Off Isle aux Coudres—52 porpoises, yielding 16,035 gallons of oil.

RETURN of Fishing Stations, Number and Value of Fishing Boats and Nets, Number of Men, together with the Yield, Value and Kinds of Fish, &c., within the Districts on the North Side of the River St. Lawrence, &c.—*Continued.*

NAMES OF PLACES.	Fishing Boats.		Number of Fishermen.	KINDS OF NETS USED.								KINDS OF FISH.										Fish for Manure, brls.
				Salmon Nets.			Brush Fisheries with Nets.		Brush Fisheries		Eel Fisheries												
	No.	Value.		No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No. of Salmon.	No of Shad.	Herring, brls.	No. of Eels.	Sturgeon, brls.	Sardines, brls.	Bar and White Fish, doz.	Trout, lbs.	No. of Winnonish.	Small Fish, brls.	
Saguenay Division.		$				$		$		$		$											
Port aux Quilles	1	10	2	1	40	40																	
Pointe au Bouleau	1	10	2						1	25					1			1				15	
Anse Ste. Catherine	1	10	1						1	25					5			1				50	
Tadousac	1	10	1						1	20					2			2				100	
Pointe Rouge	2	60	4	1	80	100							230										
Moulin Baude	1	10	2	1	50	60							98										
Pointe à la Cariole	2	20	3	1	70	85							159										
Anse aux Pilotes	2	40	2	1	60	70					1	40	137			350							
Bon Désir			1						1	30					3			2					
Pointe au Piquet			1						1	30					4			2					
Anse à la Cave			1						1	20					3			2					
Islets Penchés	3	80	3	2	100	105			2	55			159		8			6				1	
Islets Boisés	1	20	2	1	40	45							40										
Pointe Escoumains			3						3	60					6			4				7	
Baie Mille Vaches			4						4	115					10			7				4	
Pointe Boisvert	1	20	4	1	60	70			2	60			4		40			11		100		11	
Portneuf	2	40	5	2	110	120							23							600			
Baie Laval	2	40	4	1	65	75			1	50					40					400			
Islets Jérémie			2						2	80					24			6				6	
Petites Isles	2	60	4	1	50	60							119										
Grande Baie			5						5	26						120		3				8	
Cap Est, Chicoutimi			1						1	5								2					
Anse au Foin "			2						2	11							1	2				30	
Pointe au Beurre "			3						3	32								7					
Pointe l'Islet "	1	10	1						1	10								4					
St. Alphonse "			9						9	48												200	

From Rivière aux Canards to Bersimis, (Inland Waters)																				246000				
Lake St. John Division.				Winnonish Nets																				
Alma																			42		3860	178		
Signaï			45	45	2700	225													50		2600	20		
Metabetchouan East			28	28	1680	140													55		2500	25		
do West			25	25	1500	125													740		5500	30		
Charlevoix			26	26	1560	130													35		1600	30		
Roberval				200	6100	1150													380		22100	75		
Oniatchouan			40	40	2400	200													260		4000	45		
Labarre and neighbouring Lakes			40																	7700				
Inland Waters, County Charlevoix.																								
Grand Lake Nairne																				8000				
Little do																				6000				
Lake St Hilarion																				4000				
do Pointe à Jérôme																				2000				
do Long																				2000				
do Pieds des Monts																				4000				
Totals	23	440	540	388	18288	3657	18	271	160	2436	143	1370	1550	4500	150	43825	230	185	3559	359000	42160	931	953	

RECAPITULATION.

YIELD and Value of the different Fisheries from Quebec to Bersimis in 1882.

Kinds of Fish.		Quantities.	Prices.	Value.
			$ cts.	$ cts.
Salmon	Pieces.	1,550	1 50	2,325 00
Shad	do	4,500	0 09	405 00
Herring	Brls.	150	5 00	750 00
Sardines	do	185	3 00	555 00
Sturgeon	do	230	5 00	1,150 00
Eels	Pieces.	43,825	0 10	4,382 50
Winnonish	do	42,160	0 25	10,540 00
Trout	Lbs.	359,000	0 06	21,540 00
Bar and White Fish	Doz.	3,559	1 25	4,448 75
Small and Mixed Fish	Brls.	931	2 00	1,862 00
Fish used as manure	do	953	0 25	238 25
Porpoises and Oil				8,225 50
Total value of the Products of the Fisheries in 1882				56,422 00
do do do 1881				40,052 90
Increase				$16,369 10

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Quantity and Value of the different Fisheries from Quebec to Bersimis for 1881 and 1882.

Kinds of Fish.	1881.		1882.	
	Quantities.	Value.	Quantities.	Value.
		$ cts.		$ cts.
Salmon Pieces.	834	1,251 00	1,550	2,325 00
Shad do	4,050	364 50	4,500	405 00
Herring Brls.	68	340 00	150	750 00
Sardines do	190	570 00	185	555 00
Sturgeon do	31	155 00	230	1,150 00
Eels Pieces.	49,124	4,912 40	43,825	4,382 50
Winnonish do	36,600	9,150 00	42,160	10,540 00
Trout Lbs.	317,600	19,056 00	359,000	21,540 00
Bar and White Fish Doz.	2,132	2,665 00	3,559	4,448 75
Small and Mixed Fish Brls.	685	1,370 00	931	1,862 00
Fish used as manure do	876	219 00	953	238 25
Porpoises and Oil				8,225 50
		40,052 90		56,422 00

RETURN of Fishing Stations, Number and Value of Fishing Boats and Nets, Number of Men, together with the Yield, Value and Kinds of Fish, &c., within the District extending from Quebec to the Upper Ottawa, during the Year 1882.

NAMES OF DIVISIONS.	Fishing Boats.		No. of Fishermen.	KINDS OF NETS USED.						KINDS OF FISH.										
				Gill Nets.			Seines.		Eel Fisheries	Trout, lbs.	No. of Shad.	No. of Eels.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Tom Cod, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	White Fish, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Mixed and Small Fish, lbs.
	No.	Value.		No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.	No. Value.											
		$				$		$												
Richelieu Division	635	2350	635	110	3100	110	140	2345	10 100	.....	6600	15800	22000	.....	2100	.....	2200	26000	16600	62000
Chambly & Iberville Division	32	564	38	47	624	95	16	616	1 40000	.....	.....	26300	2300	.....	.....	.....	3350	4750	19050	83000
Chateauguay do ...	60	680	120	400	1200	1000	20	600	25 400	.....	.....	35400	10400	.....	130000	.....	115000	80000	150000	240800
Missisquoi Bay do ...	14	122	37	14	1972	596	.....	.....	... .	.....	6295	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29800	.....	13800
Magog do ...	15	200	24	.....	.....	.....	10	250	... .	10000	6000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	2000	.....	12000
Sherbrooke } Megantic } do ...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9500	.....	7500
St. Maurice and Three River's Division	90	900	90	5	280	40	76	725	... .	9185	40000	72000	20000	3500	3720	11000	3000	2000	26000	902000
Berthier Division	250	2500	495	160	1870	710	70	1650	... .	.....	8400	18800	12080	.....	6925	15880	2200	13800	10725	1134500
Montreal do	43	430	86	7	175	35	36	720	... .	.....	3000	16600	10000	.....	35000	.....	14000	21200	18600	85200
Terrebonne do	368	2208	540	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11 55	10000	.....	2175	.....	.....	.....	.....	5450	5180	3940	10400
Lake of Two Mountains Div.	38	22	38	21	550	63	.....	.....	... .	.....	1000	2000	2000	.....	1800	.....	3400	7800	2200	15000
Lower Ottawa Division	10	80	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	900	275	1900	7800	.....	1400	1050	1400	5500	7500	28000
Argenteuil do	12	120	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5 25	4028	.....	5600	.....	.....	.....	4800	.....	.....	.....	8000
Upper Ottawa do	80	500	178	375	7500	3000	.....	.....	... .	.....	.....	6000	6500	.....	1750	.....	.....	8550	.....	27500
Gatineau Lakes do	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	... .	116500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22950	13050	.....	50560	.....
Totals	1647	10676	2331	1139	17271	5649	368	6906	52 40580	151613	71570	202575	93080	3500	182695	55680	163154	136080	305115	2629700

RECAPITULATION.

YIELD and Value of the different Fisheries in the Districts above Quebec, for the Year 1882.

Kinds of Fish.		Quantities.	Prices.	Value.
			$ cts.	$ cts.
Shad	Pieces.	71,570	0 10	7,157 00
Eels	do	202,575	0 10	20,257 50
Tom Cod	Brls.	3,500	1 50	5,250 00
Sturgeon	Lbs.	93,080	0 05	4,654 00
Trout	do	151,613	0 08	12,129 04
Whitefish	do	55,680	0 08	4,454 40
Maskinongé	do	182,695	0 08	14,615 60
Bass	do	163,154	0 08	13,052 32
Pickerel	do	136,080	0 08	10,886 40
Pike	do	305,115	0 05	15,255 75
Mixed Fish	do	2,629,700	0 02	52,594 00
Total Value of the Fisheries in 1882				160,306 01
do do 1881				130,735 86
Increase				29,570 15

FROM QUEBEC TO THE UPPER OTTAWA.

The following Comparative Table shows the yield and value of the Fisheries in the above Division:—

Kinds of Fish.	1881.		1882.	
	Quantities.	Value.	Quantities.	Value.
		$ cts.		$ cts.
Shad Pieces	37,550	3,379 50	71,570	7,157 00
Eels do	131,458	13,145 80	202,575	20,257 50
Sturgeon Lbs.	149,400	7,470 00	93,080	4,654 00
Whitefish do	46,620	3,729 60	55,680	4,454 40
Tom Cod Brls.	6,890	10,335 00	3,500	5,250 00
Trout Lbs.	224,942	17,995 36	151,613	12,129 04
Maskinongé do	127,160	3,729 60	182,695	14,615 60
Bass do	161,950	9,717 00	163,154	13,052 32
Pickerel do	252,100	15,126 00	136,080	10,886 40
Pike do	295,200	14,760 00	305,115	15,255 75
Mixed Fish do	1,349,400	26,988 00	2,629,700	52,594 00
		130,275 86		160,306 01

SYNOPSES OF FISHERY OFFICERS' REPORTS IN THE PROVINCE OF QUEBEC, EXCLUSIVE OF THE GULF OF ST. LAWRENCE DISTRICTS, FOR THE YEAR 1882.

SOUTH SHORE DIVISION, FROM POINT LÉVIS TO CAPE CHATTE.

Overseers.

- CLOVIS CARON:—*Point Lévis to River Ouelle.*
- JULES GAUVREAU:—*River Ouelle to Isle Verte.*
- HERMENEGILDE MARTIN:—*Isle Verte to Rimouski.*
- L. E. GRONDIN:—*Rimouski to River Blanche.*
- ———:—*River Blanche to Cape Chatte.*

As shown by statements, page 150, the fisheries of these divisions show an increased value of $28,787.28, principally in the following:—

Eels, pieces	105,791
Shad do	74,407
Salmon do	248
Herring, barrels	2,008

And a falling off in—

Trout, lbs	4,500
Barfish, lbs	6,190
Sardines, brls	1,164

Overseer Caron reports that, on the whole, the fishing season was satisfactory. The general catch was fair and prices ruled higher than before. Salmon does not appear to be decreasing, and although this season's catch was below that of former years, it nearly doubled that of 1881. The average price was 18c. per lb. Shad and eels were very abundant. These fish appear to be steadily increasing, their yield far exceeding that of last season, which was considered exceptionally good. Sturgeon were also plentiful, the total yield exceeding by three hundred barrels that of any previous year.

Overseer Gauvreau reports an increase in all kinds of fish frequenting his division, especially in shad, eels and herring. This he attributes to favorable weather. Although salmon fishing was more remunerative than in 1881, still these fish are far from being as plentiful as formerly. The sardine fishing almost failed, the small quantity taken being of an inferior quality.

No violations of the fishery laws came under the notice of this officer.

Overseer Martin reports a falling off in the catch of salmon and eels. This he explains by the fact that several weirs were not set. An increase was felt in mostly all the other kinds of fish, but principally in shad and herring. No infractions of the law came under his notice.

Overseer Grondin reports that while salmon seem to be gradually leaving the shores of his division, herring and sardines are steadily increasing. No violations of the law are reported in this division.

Overseer Charest's services were dispensed with during the summer for neglect of duty.

FROM QUEBEC TO BERSIMIS.

The fisheries of these divisions show an increase in value of $16,369.10. This increase was most noticeable in the following kinds of fish:—

Trout, lbs	41,400
Winnonish, pieces	5,560
Salmon do	716
Shad do	450
Sturgeon, brls	199
Bar and Whitefish, doz.	1,427

QUEBEC AND MONTMORENCY DIVISIONS.

L. P. Huot, *Overseer*.

The following is a comparative statement of the Fisheries in this Division:—

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Salmon	No.	195	290
Shad	do	4,050	4,500
Eels	do	25,767	23,561
Sturgeon	Brls.	31	29
Bar and Whitefish	Doz.	1,293	1,747
Small Fish	Brls.	52	24
Value		$5,108 00	$5,572 85

MURRAY BAY DIVISION.

Ulysse Bhéreur, *Overseer*.

Ant. Filion,
Jos. Simard,
Henri Cotê,
Ed. Martin,
} *Wardens* (Inland Lakes).

Comparative Statement of the Yield of the Fisheries in this Division:—

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Trout	Lbs.	57,200	60,100
Eels	No.	22,757	76,294
Salmon	do	55	291
Sardines	Brls.	178	123
Herring	do	1	4
Sturgeon	do	.....	10
Small and Mixed Fish	do	42	72
Bar and Whitefish	Doz.	.....	250
Fish for manure	Brls.	876	953
Value		$6,632 20	12,805 65

Fifty-two porpoises were caught at Isle aux Coudres, yielding 16,035 gallons of oil.

SAGUENAY DIVISION.

JOSEPH RADFORD, *Overseer.*

JOSEPH BOILY, JACQUES GIRARD, } *Wardens.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield of Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Salmon	Pieces.	584	969
Eels	do	600	470
Trout	Lbs.	250,000	247,100
Herring	Brls.	65	146
Sardines	do	12	62
Sturgeon	do	.....	1
Small Fish	do	328	432
Value		$16,953 00	$18,111 50

Overseer Radford reports a satisfactory increase in the catch of salmon. Trout fishing was as good as the previous year. An increase is also noticed in herring and sardines. Fishing was not carried on with as much vigor as formerly, owing to the demand for hands in other more remunerative employment.

LAKE ST. JOHN DIVISION.

JOB. BILODEAU, CHAS. POTVIN, R. MALTAIS, } *Wardens.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield of Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Winnonish	Pieces.	36,600	42,160
Whitefish	Doz.	835	1,562
Mixed Fish	Brls.	263	403
Value		$10,719 75	$13,298 50

Fishing has been good in this division. The different Wardens report winnonish and whitefish as steadily increasing. This they ascribe to the better observance of the fishery regulations since the last few years. River Ouiatchouan is reported to abound with large trout, some being from 25 to 36 inches long, weighing from 6 to 9 lbs. Officer Bilodeau states that 7,700 lbs. of these valuable fish were caught there and in neighbouring lakes.

RICHELIEU DIVISION.

PIERRE LATRAVERSE, J. F. PICOTIN, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of Fish in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Shad	Pieces.	6,000	6,600
Eels	do	14,600	15,800
Sturgeon	Lbs.	20,000	22,000
Trout	do	240	.....
Maskinonge	do	1,500	2,100
Bass	do	1,800	2,200
Pickerel	do	2,600	2,600
Pike	do	15,600	16,600
Whitefish	do	1,200	.....
Mixed fish	do	50,000	62,040
Value		$5,249 20	$5,962 80

CHAMBLY AND IBERVILLE DIVISIONS.

H. W. AUSTIN, J. B. CHEVALIER, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of Fish in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Eels	Pieces.	42,550	26,300
Sturgeon	Lbs.	800	2,300
Bass	do	5,400	3,350
Pickerel	do	5,100	4,760
Pike	do	16,800	19,050
Mixed fish	do	77,800	83,000
Value		$7,321 00	$6,006 30

CHATEAUGUAY AND BEAUHARNOIS DIVISIONS.

JOACHIM LABERGE,
WM. CLYDE,
JOHN KELLY,
} *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of Fish in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Eels	Pieces.	3,300	35,400
Sturgeon	Lbs.	88,000	10,400
Maskinonge	do	112,000	130,000
Bass	do	106,000	115,000
Pickerel	do	65,000	80,000
Pike	do	85,000	150,000
Mixed fish	do	120,000	240,000
Value		$28,362.00	$42,360.00

MISSISSQUOI BAY DIVISION.

P. E. LUKE, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of Fish in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
No. of Shad	Pieces.	3,750	6,235
do brls. Pickerel	Lbs.	38,200	29,800
do do Mixed fish	do	21,400	13,800
Value		$3,057.50	$3,289.50

MAGOG DIVISION.

N. A. BEACH, *Overseer.*

THE Yield of Fish in this Division is reported as follows:—

Trout, lbs	10,000
Shad, pieces	6,000
Bass, lbs	100
Pickerel, lbs	2,000
Mixed fish, lbs	12,000
Value	$1,800.00

SHERBROOKE AND LAKE MÉGANTIC DIVISIONS.

W. C. Willis, J. B. McDonald, } *Overseers.*

Overseer Willis reports that fishing in his division compares favorably with that of former years. Lunge and whitefish appear to be on the increase, especially the latter, which result the Overseer attributes to the young fry deposited in Brompton and Magog Lakes. Large quantities of pickerel and perch were caught. Several salmon were also taken in St. Francis River, some weighing as much as 19 lbs., and selling at 15 cents per lb. Young salmon were noticed ascending the river in larger numbers than ever before. Mr. Willis believes that more of these delicious fish would have been caught last spring had the waters of the river kept lower. He reports no violations of the law.

Overseer McDonald made no report.

ST. MAURICE AND THREE RIVERS DIVISIONS.

Joseph Desaulniers, Thomas Decoteau, } *Overseers.*

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Shad	Pieces.	16,000	40,000
Eels	do	24,000	72,000
Tom Cod	Brls.	6,800	3,500
Trout	Lbs.	3,500	9,185
Sturgeon	do	.....	20,000
Maskinonge	do	1,200	3,720
Whitefish	do	3,000	11,000
Bass	do	5,000	3,000
Pickerel	do	26,000	2,000
Pike	do	18,000	26,000
Mixed fish	do	84,000	902,000
Value		$19,207.00	$39,102.40

BERTHIER AND JOLIETTE DIVISION.

O. LAFLECHE, M. HURTEAU, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Value and Catch of Fish for this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Shad	Pieces.	6,500	8,400
Eels	do	20,300	18,800
Trout	Lbs.	51,152	.....
Whitefish	do	13,920	15,880
Sturgeon	do	27,600	12,080
Maskinonge	do	5,050	6,925
Bass	do	5,400	2,200
Pickerel	do	31,000	13,800
Pike	do	18,400	10,725
Mixed fish	do	814,000	1,134,500
Value		$28,887.76	$29,734.65

MONTREAL DIVISION.

JOHN MORRIS, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Shad	Pieces.	.....	3,000
Eels	do	13,600	16,600
Sturgeon	Lbs.	.....	10,000
Maskinongé	do	3,500	21,000
Bass	do	14,000	14,000
Pickerel	do	21,200	21,200
Pike	do	18,600	18,600
Mixed fish	do	85,200	85,200
Value		$6,316.00	$9,590.00

TERREBONNE DIVISION.

JOSEPH LAUZON, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Eels	Pieces.	2,088	2,175
Trout	Lbs.	9,500	10,000
Bass	do	7,000	5,450
Pickerel	do	8,200	5,180
Pike	do	12,400	3,940
Mixed fish	do	25,000	10,400
Value		$3,000.80	$2,272.91

LAKE OF TWO MOUNTAINS DIVISION.

JOS. I. LAMOUREUX, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Eels	Pieces.	8,000	2,000
Shad	do	.....	1,000
Maskinongé	Lbs.	1,560	1,800
Sturgeon	do	.....	2,000
Bass	do	2,600	3,400
Pickerel	do	7,600	7,800
Pike	do	5,200	2,200
Mixed fish	do	29,000	15,000
Value		$2,345.60	$1,850.60

LOWER OTTAWA DIVISION.

ROBERT W. JONES, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the Yield and Value of Fish in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Shad	Pieces.	300	275
Eels	do	2,000	1,900
Sturgeon	Lbs.	8,000	7,800
Trout	do	400	900
Maskinongé	do	1,500	1,400
Whitefish	do	4,800	1,050
Bass	do	1,800	1,400
Pickerel	do	6,000	5,500
Pike	do	7,000	7,500
Mixed fish	do	30,000	28,000
Value		$2,551.00	$2,362.50

ARGENTEUIL DIVISION.

THOMAS EVANS, ALEX. BEATON, } *Overseers.*

The catch in this Division is stated to have been as follows :—

Trout, lbs	4,028
Eels, pieces	5,600
Whitefish, lbs	4,800
Mixed fish, lbs	8,000
Value	$1,426.24

UPPER OTTAWA AND GATINEAU LAKES DIVISION.

JOSEPH MARION,
JAMES MOHR,
J. T. COUGHLAN,
} *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of Yield and Value of Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.
Trout	Lbs.	154,000	116,500
Eels	Pieces.	4,000	6,000
Whitefish	Lbs.	23,700	22,950
Sturgeon	do	5,000	6,500
Maskinongé	do	1,800	1,750
Bass	do	12,950	13,050
Pickerel	do	8,800	8,550
Pike	do	51,400	50,500
Mixed fish	do	25,000	27,500
Value		$19,349.00	$17,024.00

No. 5.

PRINCE EDWARD ISLAND.

To the Honorable the Minister of Marine and Fisheries.

ALBERTON, 30th December, 1882.

SIR,—I have the honor to transmit my Annual Report on the fisheries of Prince Edward Island for the year 1882, together with accompanying documents.

SUMMARY.

There are several features in the fishery this year that are worthy of notice. Assuming the returns of both this and last year to be correctly made, 775 more men with 258 additional boats have been engaged afloat this year over the year preceding. The continued tendency is to employ a larger and better class of craft. The number of fishing vessels, as distinguished from boats, has increased from fifteen to forty, and the tonnage afloat from 159 to 1,388 tons. Three thousand two hundred and eighty-four fathoms of additional nets have been spread this year, and yet, although there has been no striking failure in any of the products, the deficit on the year, official value, is $99,602.55.

The quantity of barrelled mackerel shows a decrease of 4,793 barrels, but of canned mackerel (which would probably represent 9,000 barrels additional) the large increase of 201,866 cans. Herring were plenty in spring and were largely taken, showing an increase of over 7,000 barrels; but of the total quantity of 31,545 barrels, only 5,075 barrels were packed as food, the remainder being used as bait. In like manner of the total 1,655 barrels of gasperaux (alewives), only 217 were food and the remainder bait. Rather fewer gasperaux were taken this year than last. Cod are 2,992 hundred weight short of last year, but hake 592 over. Of haddock, scarce one-third the catch of the preceding year. In other sea-fish there is not much difference from average years.

Great activity has been manifested in oysters, nearly three times the average having been brought to market, the figures being in 1881, 20,815 barrels, and in 1882, no fewer than 57,042 barrels. This is a fishery that demands immediate regulation, and I earnestly bring it to Your Honor's attention.

Notwithstanding the great boon of twenty days additional time of fishing, lobster canning shows, as compared with the preceding year, a deficit of 1,114,145 cans, or equal to about 4,500,000 of lobsters. This deficit cannot be accounted for solely by the weather. The lobsters were rather eccentric in their movements, some factories having a full supply while others at no great distance were scant all the season. Although it will take the careful observation of a few years to establish the rate of decline, there is no doubt that the average size of the lobsters on this coast is gradually growing smaller. The future protection of the fishery is a subject demanding careful thought.

The inland waters have yielded more abundantly than in any previous year. This increased product may be legitimately set down to the better protection they have enjoyed the past three years. In fact most of the streams have re-stocked themselves. Twelve tons of trout, all taken by bait and fly, as against less than ten tons the preceding year, is not a bad product for the few anglers and small streams of Prince Edward Island.

Salmon have been unusually plenty, both "clean" along coast and spawning in the streams. They have been fished for very little along shore, several of the persons who formerly sought them, having been drafted off to the lobster fishery. Station surveyed and offered on lease would tend to develope salmon fishing.

The value of the fisheries of this small Province may be appreciated from the fact that there were taken from the sea, the past season, 16,000,000 pounds weight of fish-food, and 107,250 pounds from the running waters, besides 5,500,000 of edible fish used as bait. Or, to put it in another shape, were taken, at the lowest calculation, for food, 8,000,000 of mackerel, 6,000,000 of herring, and 10,000,000 of cod and hake, 3,000,000 of oysters, and of lobsters 22,000,000, besides other fish. This is equivalent to an average weight of 3,517 lbs. of sea fish, exclusive of fish exempted under the Washinffton Treaty, caught by each of the 4,410 men afloat, which would bring the forty vessels of over ten tons and the 1,375 boats within the scope of the Fishery Bounty.

It is a noticeable circumstance that the Americans have abandoned the Gulf this year and last. Only one American schooner is reported, which is said to have taken 275 barrels of mackerel. A large fleet of boats from New Brunswick with a few from Nova Scotia, have been fishing off the Island all the season. Their catch ought, in reality, to be credited to the resources of this Province.

The Hatchery at Dunk River has its full capacity of healthy salmon ova.

Further particulars of the various fisheries are given in the body of this Report.

HERRING.

Commercial herring fishing is practically extinct, only about 5,000 barrels having been taken for food, as a set-off against six times that quantity for bait for other fish, perhaps not economically more important. In countries where the fisheries have attained their full development the herring fishery ranks second to none. On the east coast of Scotland, for instance, it alone gives employment to many thousand persons, and brings in a vast amount of wealth.

Here the practice of fishing is, that boats carrying two men each, go off in the evening to some sheltered cove, with a few nets, which they anchor and pick up again in the morning. The drift nets, by which British fishermen capture immense shoals, are unknown here, nor have we suitable boats. A few fish are salted by the captors for home use, a few more are peddled fresh, and the great bulk are disposed of to the lobster and mackerel fishers, or laid aside for the fishing of cod. It cannot be said that this is developing the fishery even to a fractional part of what it is capable, and the result is, that a good many cargoes of herring for bait are actually imported annually, mostly from the Magdalen Islands. The herring are placed in the lobster traps, either whole or cut up; slices are used on cod-hooks; but for mackerel, large quantities are roughly ground in bait-mills, and thrown in handfuls into the sea to attract the mackerel around the boats from which men are fishing with baited hooks. This seems but an ignoble way of using a food-fish so valuable and marketable. The spring herring fishery on the coast lasts about seven weeks, more or less, according to the weather. Salt is a heavy item in the Island fisheries, and the expense of its purchase by fishermen of little means limits the catch. On the Scotch coasts capitalists calling themselves "curers" relieve the actual fishermen of all further trouble than selling to them their fish. At present there is no equivalent class in this Province, but were the product largely increased there cannot be much doubt that middlemen would be found with capital to prepare fish for market on a large scale, with profit to the promoter and advantage to the fishermen. By having facilities in the supply of labor, barrels, salt and conveyance, the catch could be put on the market in the shortest possible time, and with the largest current profit.

The herring this spring were poor and thin when they first struck in, but afterwards improved somewhat. Like the other migratory fish of the year their movements were more eccentric than usual, some of the Wardens having reported the fishery in their district a complete failure, when in others the supply was in

plenty. Warden Lowe, Rollo Bay, narrates the unusual incident that in his district, in July, a considerable number of very fine herring were taken, which he describes as equal to, if not superior, to the herring of Labrador. They might have been the advanced guard of the fall herring.

It is still strange that the fall herring fishery should be neglected. True, it comes on when mackerel are yet plenty, although beginning to decline. Several fishermen have stated their intention of giving it a fair trial, and it is to be hoped such trial will be made in the coming season.

No attempt is made to utilize herring fry, or small fish, either as, so-called, sardines, or under any other name.

A beginning has been made in the smoking of herrings. With a fall fishery there seems no apparent reason why Prince Edward Island should not produce as good red herring as the celebrated "chickens," of Digby, N.S., or the "bloaters," of Yarmouth, England. Anything that economises salt is a gain.

One result of the rising trade with the West Indies and Brazil ought to be the revival of the Gulf herring fishery.

Gaspereaux were late in coming this year, owing to the cold and stormy spring, so late in places—even as late as July—that no attempt was made to catch them, the fishermen being otherwise engaged. The fish were not so plentiful as last year. The deficit on the year is 262 barrels.

MACKEREL.

The mackerel fishery may be characterized as, on the whole, not bad, although falling short 4,510 barrels as compared with the year preceding. Although a few score were taken a fortnight earlier than usual, the schools were not off the coast much before the middle of July and soon broke up. Thereafter the fish were abundant, but could only occasionally be got to bite. As the season advanced, in September, they became scarce, and finally the boats ceased fishing in advance of their usual time in October. The fish were, besides, very partial in their movements. At some of their usual haunts very few were taken, while in other places was a full supply. Along the north they were more plenty than at the west. Thermal peculiarities seem partly to account for this, as well as for their delicacy in taking bait. They were generally of larger size, but not of extra quality. The following is a statement of the weather on the north and south shores—kindly supplied me, as usual, by the official meteorological observers:—

South Charlottetown.—From the 20th of April to end of the month more snow than usual fell, there being only three days exempt out of the eleven days. May was unusually cold, being nearly four degrees below the average of fifteen years; nearly five inches of snow fell on the 15th. June was of average temperature, with very little wind; one lightning, four thunder. July of average temperature, with no heavy winds; lightning and thunder below the average. August, of average temperature, with wind above the average, but not stormy; four thunder and five lightning. September of average temperature, and fairly windy, but not excessive. October, two degrees above the average temperature, and not over windy. I know of nothing to affect the sensibilities of fish during the above period except the cold weather of April and May.

H. J. Cundall.

North Alberton.—The beginning of the fishing season of 1882 was fully two weeks later than in 1881, in which year Caseumpeque Harbor opened on the 3rd of April, and wild geese were gone by the 13th May. In 1882, the harbor was not free until the 6th of May, the first schooner arrived on the 16th, and on the 22nd the wild geese had left. Snow lingered on the south banks of some creeks as late as the 9th of June. For the whole period, from 1st May till 31st October, the average temperature was over one and one-half degrees higher, while for the month of May it was more than two degrees, and in July and August slightly lower than in the corresponding periods of 1881. In 1881, there were 86 rainy days, 77 in 1882. The

average velocity of wind, for the six months of 1882, was 6·60 per hour; 7·19 in 1881. The heaviest "blows" last season were 16th September, when over 453, and 25th October, when 400 miles of wind passed the instrument in 24 hours. Thunder and lightning were rather more prevalent in 1882 than in the year before.

JAMES HUNTER.

A noticeable feature in the year's mackerel fishery is the largely increased number that have been canned. This canning of mackerel, although subject to fluctuations, bids fair to grow as rapidly as the canning of lobsters has done, and the business is less likely to be *over*done. The following is its progress :—

In 1877	none.
1878	1,200
1879	27,338
1880	6,960
1881	228,953
1882	430,819

The latest Report of that useful institution, the Boston Fish Bureau, while saying that the catch of mackerel in New England has been most successful and only exceeded in quantity eight times during the past fifty years, adds: "The catch by the Provincial fishermen was the smallest for years, which accounts for the large decrease in the amount imported." So far as this Province is concerned, the statement is not correct. Taking into account the 36,083 barrels of 1881, with the considerable quantity canned in that year, and 31,293 barrels, with the still greater quantity canned, in 1882 the product of the present and last years are about the same, namely, 40,000 barrels each. And as prices have remained firm, the year's fishing cannot be called a failure, although certainly much below the catch of 1879 and 1880.

In Prince Edward Island the fishermen now generally soak and "ream" their mackerel, which gives them the preference and a better price in the United States markets. It is stated that a machine operating a series of rotating brushes is in use in Portland Maine, for the purpose of cleaning mackerel, and does the work of five hands. If this be so it will speedily be taken hold of by our people, who are not slack to avail themselves of any improvement brought to their notice, as witness the introduction of cod gill nets, and Johnston's soldering furnaces, many of which have been purchased in the Island the past season.

COD AND HAKE.

The cod fishery is too much neglected. There is less of the element of chance than exists in mackerel fishing. The pursuit of cod and hake is indeed the one of all fishing industries that offers the most assured return for steady energy in this part of the Lower Gulf of St. Lawrence The grounds on which the fish will be found are known and can be reached any fine day for several hours fishing within sight of the shore, with only an hour or two of a run home. Hence it is that most of our farmers facing on the sea supply themselves with what cod may be required for winter's use, but beyond this their enterprise does not extend. It is true the fish thus caught within sight of the beach, within the shallow three-mile limit, rarely exceed medium size, but with greater enterprise the product, I think, would be practically unlimited.

The catch of cod this year shows a deficit of 2,992 cwt., and hake an increase of 1,492 cwt., making together a deficit on dried fish of 1,400 cwt., partly accounted for by the circumstance that some of former cod fishers were attracted during the season to the lobster fishing which more or less clips all the other piscatorial industries In the early part of the season, when lobster-fishing began, cod were very plenty and many more might have been taken. By the time the factories were closed the supply had fallen off and stormy weather set in early. In the Straits of Northumber-

land the season was altogether poor, but good along the north and east. Along the east coast hake were more plentiful than usual. A considerable fleet of Caraquet and other New Brunswick, as well as Nova Scotia boats, variously estimated at from fifty to one hundred, fished all the season in Island waters, and their large catch ought, in justice, to be credited to the product of this Province. A portion of them fished steadily off the Little Banks, so called, to the northward and eastward of the North Cape, and reported themselves very successful. Their boats were larger than those of the Islanders.

Our cod and hake are all taken by hand lines or "trawls"—meaning set lines—from open boats of moderate size, sailing when there is wind and rowing when there is none, going off the land in early morning and returning in the evening. Larger craft, such as those of Caraquet, would certainly be an advantage. That larger fish environ our shores outside of the limits within which we fish, is sufficiently demonstrated by the skilled fishermen of New Brunswick. The cod is essentially a fish of the deep sea, and when found in shoal water is generally inferior. The cost of bait for this fishery is costly. It is not an exaggeration to estimate that bait at present costs one-fourth the value of the cod taken. Hence anything that would economize the cost of bait and take larger fish is both desirable and important. Norwegian cod gill-nets are intended to do this.

A few of these nets have been imported, and the unanimous report of the Wardens is "a total failure," "no use in our fisheries," &c. I have still faith in them if properly used. That these gill-nets are successful in Norway is beyond dispute. According to recent accounts, of 26,000 fishermen engaged in cod-fishing off the Llaffoden Isles, 12,000 fish with gill-nets. A Gloucester, U.S., paper records that, on December 12th of this year, a fishing-boat with two men and seven of these nets, took 5,000 fish in a single night. And Mr. James Feehan, of Savage Harbor, in this Island, states through the local press that, in his hands they have worked admirably to the extent of two dory loads of fish per day. He adds that when other fishermen claim that the nets are not as good as recommended to be, they probably do not know how to work them r ght.

It may be mentioned that our fishermen have a theory that the Island sea is too phosphorescent for the gill-nets during warm weather, and that, if these nets will do at all for cod and other large fish, it must be early in spring or late in fall. There may be something in this supposition, but I think the main conditions of succes are, firstly, that they be *set in deep water*, and, secondly, that they be set *parallel to the shore*. It is to be hoped these imported nets will not be hastily thrown aside, but be given a further trial this coming year, for an increased catch of cod by netting is not only a saving of bait, but it produces a larger supply of offal for lobster traps, and would liberate the large quantity of herring now used for bait to seek a cash market as food.

It may be incidentally mentioned that in the Norwegian fishery cod roes are carefully preserved as an article of commerce. Here they are thrown away.

The manufacture of boneless cod is increasing, but no separate return of the quantity has been made.

A newspaper paragraph mentions that Nova Scotia fish-curers are sending pickle-cured cod as far west as Chicago. It is a matter of wonderment that none are pickled here.

Another newspaper item states that an ingenious machine has been invented for preparing codfish for salting, automatic in its action and doing its work quickly. Some of our fishermen believe it to be practicable, and would like to see it.

Cod and hake sounds show an increase of 3,942 pounds. It is rumored—with what truth I am unable to say—that the increase is owing to sales by the mainland fishermen, who use them as a species of currency in their transactions ashore. It may be new to some of our fishermen that salted sounds are considered a delicacy, and, exported in small barrels, would find a market in Europe as food. Also, the late Professor Owen drew the attention of the Canadian Commissioners at the last London Exhibition to isinglass as a desirable manufacture of Canada. The isinglass

factories of New England are reported profitable, and it is said one is in negotiation for raw material from this Province.

OTHER SEA FISH.

Very few haddock have been taken.

About three tons of halibut were taken on cod hooks at night, although there is little night-fishing. Even this quantity shows that the fish are on our coast, but the outfit for halibutting is special and costly, besides requiring a special market.

Striped bass have been very scarce and shy. These excellent fish probably approach other parts of the coast, on the edge of winter and in spring, but are only fished for by one or two persons at Miminigash, in Prince County, and were so hard to come at that it was difficult to procure specimens for the London Exhibition. Total catch, 800 lbs.; last year, 1,600.

In 1881, a new business was begun in New Brunswick, in which a number of persons engaged, namely, the canning of eels. The first specimen canned at Carleton, were sent to the United States, where they found a ready market. This island offers at least equal facilities for the business, the fish here being exceptionally large and fine. A great many eels are taken by Indians, not included in the returns.

Shad appear for the first time in Prince Edward Island fishery returns. The existence of this fish here is placed beyond dispute by the capture of 200 in Mr. Myrick's trap at Tignish, on the north shore of Prince County. I have heard it stated that in former years a few were occasionally met with in the Hillsborough River above Charlottetown.

The existence of another fish hitherto unknown in these waters, namely the American Turbot (*Rhombus maculatus*) has been proved by a small specimen kindly given me by Hon. Daniel Davies. Mr. Davies thinks the Sole (*Solea vulgaris*) exists in Island waters, an opinion in the probability of which I am not prepared to agree. If turbot are found, then probably the less valuable but still excellent fish Brill and Plaice. A singular prejudice exists against the use of flat fish as food. What are esteemed delicacies in cities are here thrown overboard.

With improvements in the methods of fishing in the Canadian Gulf, the use of the beam trawl, which must sooner or later be adopted, will doubtless bring to light, and to market, several now unknown table fish including most certainly many of the *pleuronectidæ*.

FRESHWATER FISH.

Salmon have been more abundant than for many years. There is no established salmon fishery here, as there is on the coast of the mainland. At a few places along the north shore, the owners of boats set out nets in the season and are generally successful in taking a few, which are either consumed at home or sold fresh. The fact of taking any at all with the rude appliances used indicates that the fishery would be productive if judiciously and systematically pursued. The time appears to have come for the laying off and leasing of salmon stations, inasmuch as the first salmon fry turned out from the Prince Edward Island hatchery, was in 1880, and which fish as grilse may soon be expected to return. Notwithstanding that most of our salmon fishers have gone over to the all-absorbing lobster fishery, 7,121 pounds more salmon have been taken than last year.

The run of salmon up the reserved rivers was very large, and had the effect of reviving the organised gangs of poachers that it was hoped were extinct. Extra exertions on the part of the Wardens, with other measures, in a manner counteracted their efforts. Ten nets were seized, condemned and destroyed. Three disguised ruffians assaulted and seriously injured Warden Lionel Garnum, on Winter River.

For some reasons there has been fewer anglers, but their catch has been greater. Trout are beginning to show the increased protection they have had during the past three years. In fact it may be said that most of the streams have re-stocked themselves and now afford a fair chance of sport to the angler. The following will indicate the condition of the chief streams. Question sent to the Wardens :

Are Trout more plentiful than three years since?

Wardens O'Brien, Dingwell, McCullough, Duffy, Morrell River. Yes; I believe very much so. Much more. Very plentiful in spring. Plentier. Trout plentier.

Warden Murphy, Trout River.—Very plenty.

Warden Beaton, Lot 10., Ramsay Tyne Valley.—Plentier.

Warden Beers, Lot 50.—Plentier by far.

Warden Bryant, Enmore, Percival and Pierre Jacques Rivers.—Trout more and larger to my knowledge.

Warden Howatt, Tryon.—Better than last year.

Warden McDonald, North Lake, a celebrated angling place.—Trout plentier.

Warden Lowe, McKenzie, Whitehead and Alyward.—Report trout plentier in their respective districts.

Wardens Chiasson, Burke, Power, M. and J. Mathieson—Report no increase.

Wardens Ready, Tracadie.—Reports having seen on the 12th November dead trout on the banks, killed by the washing from the starch factory.

It seems almost beyond the power of the staff of Wardens to totally prevent saw-dust being drifted into the streams, either as it is made or when it accumulates. They have all, however, done their duty in that respect as far as was possible. The "saw-dust carrier" of the Waterous Engine Company of Brantford, Ontario, is said to be effective, but is probably too expensive to be insisted on in our small mills. Drifting saw-dust into rivers seems to be an old offence, for I find an ordinance against it in the time of Richard II.

The champion fish of the season was a sea trout, female, perfect in condition and symmetry and turning the scale at four pound three ounces, taken on a grilse fly at Rollo Bay, by Mr. Frederick Hyndman, of Charlottetown. Others of considerable weight, but not so fine, were taken by myself and others.

The fishways in operation have answered their purpose. At Reith's dam on the Montague, especially, a great many fish have been observed ascending. Authority for additional fishways,—given me by the late Minister of Marine and Fisheries, with discretionary power when to use it,—will be made use of in the coming year. A special salmon-way is required in connection with the hatchway on Dunk River. Three other fishways will likewise be put in operation. A simple improvement I have made in the ladder, without increasing the cost, diminishes the eddy.

Although they arrived late, salmon were plenty in Dunk River, females largely preponderating over the males. At my recent visit to the hatchery there were in the trays, by estimate, 1,488,000 ova, exceptionally clear and handsome. With less view to practical use then to scientific study, experiments might be made in hybridising. One of the runnels might be set apart for that purpose. An aquarium in connection with the hatchery would be a pleasant feature for visitors during the summer months when the establishment is otherwise empty. Perhaps also a collection of stuffed fish of island waters, as the nucleus of a museum.

Smelts were abundant and fine. Catch, by estimate, six tons more than last year, all for home use. Total catch over forty tons. There is no available market for them.

I do not wish to open an important question until the matter shall be forced on the notice of the Department, but the subject of riparian rights has been brought to my notice in connection with an Order in Council of date 8th October, 1875, in relation to certain reserved rivers.

OYSTERS.

In spite of the immense destruction done to the live oyster beds by the digging of shell manure, the Wardens report that oysters were never so good or plenty as this year—the result, evidently of even the partial protection the fishery officers were able to enforce. What is wanted is *complete* protection herein by the simple remedy of granting leases. It is possible to enlist private interests in aid of Government supervision—as thus:

Theoretically the greatest good to the greatest number in this Province is subserved by placing no restriction on the taking of shell manure, wherever found, inasmuch as its use is indispensible to the limeless soil of the island, and has increased the product of grass and grain to an extent much exceeding the value of all the oysters taken since the practice of shell manuring came into vogue. But the present value of the oyster fishing is about $150,000 per annum. The question arises: is it possible to reconcile these two interests, the farmer's and the oyster fishers, so that the oyster fishery need not be lost?

The answer is in the affirmative, and the required means are no more than a few simple regulations officially made and definitely carried out.

The views of the Wardens of some of the oyster-producing districts may be gathered from the following extracts from their reports. Warden Garnum, Winter River, says:—"In part of this district where the Winter River spreads out into a land-locked bay, oyster-shell mud for manure has been dredged for many years past, in large quantities and of the best description. The beds are in many places fifteen feet deep. Shells ten and twelve inches in length are often dredged up. So far as known, there are no live oysters at present, but the existence of such vast masses of shells seem to indicate the fitness of the locality for oyster culture. The destruction of these once prolific oyster-beds is attributed to various causes. It is suggested that these valuable beds might be renovated at small expense; they would then become a source of great local and national profit." Warden Trainor, Johnston's River, says:—"If the Dominion Government do not make some law or place some restriction on mussel-mud digging, our oyster-beds in this section will be entirely destroyed; in fact, they are greatly injured every year by this mud-digging business, and as a great many persons make considerable towards their living out of the oyster business; I would direct your attention to the fact. It is customary for men to set their digging machines over a bed of good oysters while equally good mud could be obtained at a short distance farther out, thus killing off the young oysters. Yet I have no power under the Act to prevent them from doing so."

We have the example set by the French Government in the restoration of oyster-beds. At present no inconsiderable portion of the maritime population of the west coast of France find employment therefrom, and several localities have become the seats of a great oyster industry. The means adopted were very simple, namely, granting portions of the foreshore at easy rents, but under stringent regulations. Private industry did the rest, and the employment is both popular and profitable. Also much attention is being given to oyster culture in Australia, with good results.

Under Section 12 of the Fisheries Act, the machinery of such development is ready to hand for the waters of Canada. Sub-section 4 enacts:—

"Special licenses and leases for any term of years may be granted to any party or parties who may wish to plant or form oyster-beds in any of the bays, inlets, harbors, creeks or rivers, or between any of the islands on the coast of Canada; and the holder of any such lease or license shall have the exclusive right to oysters produced or found on the beds within the limits of such license, for the term of such lease."

By sub-section 5 the Minister may annually expend an appropriation in re-stocking beds; and in Section 6 it is made penal *in any way to injure or disturb oyster beds*—which embraces the injury done by mud digging.

Having in last and previous Annual Reports gone fully into the matter (to which Reports I beg to refer), it is unnecessary to occupy space in going over the same ground. Suffice it to say that probably few of the public know anything of the above quoted sub-section 4, and it never occurred to them to apply for an oyster-grant, whereas were stations previously surveyed and advertised to be sold at auction on a given day, many would have the enterprise to secure one. The Department has in its possession a series of maps showing existing oyster beds, also localities in which new beds might be planted, or set aside as Government reserves for natural propagation for a period of years,—for instance in Richmond Bay, West, and Hillsborough Rivers,—or when surveyed into stations be offered, at auction or agreement,

to private lessees, suitable localities to begin with being Shemody and elsewhere in Richmond Bay, Charlottetown Harbor, Cardigan Bay, Cascumpeque Bay. But the grants should be small.

In short, there are many localities in the waters of Prince Edward Island that might be rendered valuable, not only with no cost but with a revenue to the Government.

It is a thousand pities that immediate measures are not adopted to fully organize this most valuable industry. It is capable of vast development. The demand must always exceed the supply. Oysters are very fecund. The island is as favorable adapted for shell-fish culture as the famed English coast of Kent. 3,500 barrels of oysters per week during the season, were last year shipped from the United States to England. There is no reason that with increased product Prince Edward Island should not ship likewise, and thus tap a large source of wealth.

LOBSTERS.

The lobster-packing industry seems to be gradually regulating itself. A few factories, among them Messrs. Cairns, Guernsey Cove, McClure, High Bank and Waddell, White Sands, did not operate this year, and some of the smaller establishments have passed into the hands of larger capitalists. This is probably a move in the right direction. At all events there seems to be a tendency to centralize the business in the hands of fewer but more influential firms.

Owing to ice at sea and broken weather on land it was late before the factories got to work, not many of them until well on for the 1st of June. The features of the fishery this year were much irregularity in the striking in and subsequent movements, so that while some few individual factories have exceeded last year's catch, the generality are below their average. At the beginning of the season the "fish" were better and fuller than last year. They were ten days later in casting their shells. In August and Steptember they fell off in quality and became slack in quantity. The latter part of the season was windy, rough, and not suitable for lobster-fishing, thereby, in a measure, neutralising the extension of time granted by the Minister. A singular feature in the fishery was the very few in spawn,—one factory, Mr. Clow's, reporting not one spawner for eight in the preceding year. The well-known extraordinary sensitiveness of lobsters to electric influences,—causing them sometimes even to shed their claws in thunder storms,—may have had something to do with their capricious movements, and perhaps likewise with the mackerel, which, although abundant, would not bite. At least there is no other attributable cause excepting elimatic conditions.

The number of lobsters destroyed last year on our limited Island seaboard, at one and one-fourth lobsters to the can, was 22,094,560. It is stated that the number of lobsters taken in all England in a year is only 3,000,000.

There has been no legitimate cause of complaint this year in regard to the closing of the factories on the day appointed, namely, 10th of September, midnight. The Fishery Wardens were individually notified to be on the alert, and in due time reported that orders were well observed, not only in promptly closing and taking up traps, but that spawners had been much more respected throughout the season. Respectable packers, as a rule, aid the Fishery Officers in carrying out regulations, instead of seeking any evasion of the law. There have been no prosecutions this year for over-fishing.

The extension granted this year has offered a fair test as to whether it would really benefit the whole industry, as distinguished from individual packers, were the fishing time extended either for a term or indefinitely. I think it is doubtful if it would. The factories cannot begin early off our exposed coast. Virtually it would be the same as now if the 20th of May were the legal date of opening and 20th of September the closing. It would give the same number of fishing days and preclude the necessity for extension; and were it imperative to fish in deep water in July, it would seem as if nothing further need be done to protect at once the lobsters and the

canners. Any sudden change, however, in any established industry is an error of the first magnitude, so that it might even be advisable to take a *plebiscite* vote of the packers. I am of opinion that such an alteration of the dates as a final adjustment of the fishing season would meet with general approval, and be received as a settlement.

Although it is true that good fish are to be found later than September the weather can rarely be depended on. Any extension beyond that date would be little available to the generality of canners and the advantage, would fall to the sole share of a few enterprising canners of the larger class whose resources might allow them to run extra risks for extended profits.

The extension of time granted this year has without doubt been of advantage, especially to the smaller canners, who were thus enabled to work up material nearly to the capacity of their factories. From the report on the weather—under the heading of Mackerel, in this Report—it will be seen that the atmospheric changeableness of the past season was not by any means so great as to afford ground for establishing the precedent of an extension of time. The large canners are not at all unanimous in wanting it, and the smaller can scarcely assume that such privilege will always be granted for their especial benefit. Lobster-fishing, like salmon-fishing and all other fisheries, whether regulated or not, has its good years and bad; the bad must be taken with the good, and it must tend to disturb trade calculation if Government regulations become too readily elastic. It is, however, certain that the probability (or indeed the *certainty*) of extension or non-extension should be known in the very earliest days of each fishing season, as on this depends trade contracts, the hiring of hands, the laying in of supplies and fuel, and the thousand and one things required to run an establishment. I beg not to be understood as opposing any future extension of time, but merely lay before the Department what has been forcibly brought to my notice by persons largely interested in the business.

Permit me, however, strongly to urge that regulations for Prince Edward should be considered, and made without any reference whatever to the close or fishing seasons of the mainland. The cases of the Island and the Continent are not parallel either in latitude or in fact. All observation tends to confirm that from the end of May to the end of September is the normal period of lobster-fishing on the sandy bottoms of this Island. Opening in May instead of April would likewise give increased chances for the laying in of bait, which in itself is an important consideration.

It is pretty well known in business circles that not a few of the small canners rushed into business in 1880 and 1881, more than trebling the number of factories, under an exaggerated notion of the profits to be derived, and almost expecting to recoup themselves in the first season for their whole outlay. Not many have been able to do so, even yet. The evident bad effects of such rash enterprise are twofold: firstly, necessity compels to *rush* up as many cans as possible for an immediate market without much reference to quality, and, secondly, the poor quality, so rushed, has depreciated Prince Edward Island brands and lowered the price on those establishments that by means of the best and most expensive appliances produce a superior article. The result is set forth in a business letter to the *Summerside Journal*, which it may be well to republish here:—

"Editor *Summerside Journal:* Sir,—As the season for packing lobsters will soon open with you, I would like to draw the attention of merchants in the trade to some errors in packing that occurred last season. Several brands of lobsters sent to this market turned out very bad. The tin seems to have been too thin in many cases, and small holes rusted through it. The air admitted soon spoiled the goods. Some seemed to have been packed too dry, and when opened were putrid and not fit to be eaten. I do not wish to mention the brands that turned out so bad; but I fear should the same labels be used this year, even on good goods, they would be difficult to sell. Trusting you will allow this a space in your valuable columns, etc. (Signed). MONTREAL, May 19th, 1882."

It is needless to say that any sweeping condemnation of Island brands on account of individual shipments is unjust. Most of the Island factories produce a fair article, while several of the larger factories are models in every respect, with steam and other modern means in the various processes, and (what is of the highest importance,) a sufficient number of cubic feet of air in the canning rooms. Such factories turn out preserved meats equal to any, and have no need either to issue unlabelled cans or to disguise their product under labels of Nova Scotia or New Brunswick.

After careful consideration I see no reason to modify the opinion expressed in previous reports, that it would not be difficult to completely extinguish our Lobster Fishery by over-fishing. Although it may take a year or two to establish evidence of the rate of deterioration, the lobsters are surely diminishing in size and falling off in number. If it be the case that the main body of lobsters do not go far off the coast in winter, but come in year after year, it is self-evident that a thinning of their ranks to the extent of 22,000,000 annually, must speedily cause a scarcity of supply. It is difficult to devise any accurate standard by which the gradual diminution may be measured, but two years ago, it was estimated that three and a-half to four average lobsters would always fill a can. Now it requires four and one-fourth. We have the authority of Mr. Malcolm McFadyen, of Murray Harbor, a competent authority, in a published letter to Mr. O'Leary of New Brunswick, that canning ceases to be remunerative when it takes five to six lobsters to fill a can. That time, I fear, is very close at hand. The prospect is worthy of the most serious consideration.

In this connection the Report of the Fisheries of the State of Maine is instructive. Maine men own seventeen lobster factories in Canada, and there bought, the past year, 10,588,578 pounds of live lobsters, of which they manufactured 2,198,024 cans. Practically our American friends seem to avail themselves as freely of our lobsters as if shell-fish were thrown open to them by the Treaty of Washington.

It may sooner or later become a question whether the minimum dimensions of legal lobsters should be raised. In Maine the State laws prohibit traffic in lobsters less than ten and a half inches in length, from 1st August to April 1st, and in Massachusetts, the prohibition against taking lobsters under that size extends the whole year round.

As a contribution to the natural history of the lobster I may mention that on 10th March were brought to me a number of lobsters of a uniform length of body of four inches, and one weighing three pounds that had been taken through the ice by the scoop of a mud-digging machine in a creek off Cascumpeque Bay. They seemed rather sluggish but not torpid. As regards the size to which lobsters grow, one now in the Smithsonian Institution, taken in Narragansett Bay, weighed twelve and a half pounds; one at Liverpool, N.S., thirteen pounds; another not long since on exhibition at New Bedford, U. S., fifteen pounds; and finally at Rockland, Maine, is said to be the claw of a lobster that in life weighed forty-five pounds. These weights indicate that the lobster lives to a great age, and that continual harrassing must sweep away all but the young.

When I had the honor of an interview at Charlottetown, you directed me to ascertain the views of the packers as to the desirability of preventing lobster-traps being set in shallow water during the spawning time in summer. The following query was therefore sent to every factory, and several of them have replied.

QUESTION:—*What is your opinion of being compelled to fish in deep water during July?*

Factory No. 1; cans 126,000.—Reply: All our traps are now set in from six to ten fathoms water. To fish outside of that would be impracticable, and even if it could be done would be no good. The business doesn't pay now, and with more expenses would be ruinous.

Factory 2; cans 115,000.—Proposition intolerable.

Factory 3; cans 100,000.—No good. Fish will not trap in July.

Factory 4; cans 85,000.—It is not necessary to remove traps if set in reasonable depth of water at once.

Factory 5; cans 80,000.—We fish in deep water all the time from eight to thirteen fathoms

Factory 6; cans 80,000.—Will be the only remedy.

Factory 7; cans 78,000.—Do not approve of any such regulation. If imposed could not be carried out without very great expense. Very few, if any, lobsters are now taken in less than five fathoms. The traps now in use could not be used in deeper water.

Factory 8; cans 70,000.—Our opinion is that deep water fishing is the best all through the season.

Factory 9; cans 67,000.—It would be an advantage to all interested to close all down on the 15th July. No traps should be set in shoal water in July.

Factory 10; cans 60,000.—No other remedy on our shores.

Factory 11; cans 60,000.—It would be imposing on fishermen for they have trouble enough to get them in shoal water.

Factory 12; cans 52,800.—If lobsters are fished in July it should certainly be in deep water, as few soft ones are taken there.

Factory 13; cans 50,000.—It does not make very much difference. We do not fish in less than five fathoms.

Factory 14; cans 47,000.—I agree to this arrangement as we would get all large lobsters and it would not interfere with the fish at time of spawning and changing of shell.

Factory 15; cans 41,520.—No better.

Factory 16; cans 38,400.—Found traps to do as well in eight fathoms of water as in deeper. Our opinion is that lobster fishing cannot be profitably prosecuted on the North Shore after July 15th owing to the scarcity of lobsters. We suppose they go into very deep water after the above date until August; and there is danger of losing traps in August.

Factory 17; cans 36,000.—I believe it would be a benefit, say five to six fathoms, as a portion of the lobsters at that season come into shoal water to cast their shell on muddy or rocky bottom, and all such are unfit for use.

Factory 18; cans 19,800.—I think deep water fishing better at all times.

Factory 19; cans 19,200.—Lobsters are better, but it is more expensive to fit out.

Factory 20; cans 14,400.—Approve of it.

Factory 21; cans 14,000.—If any change it should be understood at the beginning of the season as it is much trouble to change traps. I fish now in eleven fathoms water.

The following is a statement, kindly supplied by Mr. Lydiard, Customs broker, Charlottetown, of the export of canned lobsters from this Province this year, namely:

Shipped to	United States	24,122	cases,	equal to	1,157,832 lbs.
do	Great Britain	52,884	do	do	2,538,384 do
do	France	250	do	do	12,000 do
do	West Indies	116	do	do	5,568 do
do	Nova Scotia	19,119	do	do	917,712 do
do	British Guiana	98	do	do	4,704 do
do	Other places	3,933	do	do	188,904 do
	Total	100,522			4,825,104

Miscellaneous.

There are several minor matters which, in previous annual reports, I had the honor to draw attention to, and to which I beg to refer.

Considerable interest prevails among the fishermen in regard to the Fishery Bounty, but the misunderstanding exists that *each man* that has caught 2,500 pounds of sea fish is entitled to the bounty, instead of each boat. In some parts of the Pro-

vince no difficulty will arise in the distribution, but in others, especially to the westward, some modification of the strict letter of the regulation is required. Having no solely fishery population to come under engagement for the season the crews of the boats are frequently shifting, and few can assert truthfully that they have fished for full three months, although the boat may have been afloat all that time. The neighbors of the owners of boats generally go out, now and again, for a few days at a time, on the "half line" system—that is to say, a proportion of the fish caught by the crew of the day is handed to the boat-owner, for use of his boat, and there the transaction between them ends. Assuming the crew to be, daily, four men—although different men—the boat's total catch may reach 8,000 pounds, or equal to 2,500 pounds per man, and the question is whether the owner can claim the whole of the bounty instead of one-fifth. I state the difficulty, leaving it for the Department to decide. Also, I beg to bring to your notice that some of the largest employers and owners of fishing boats in this Province are American citizens.

The "fish product, used as manure," in the tabulated statement, is principally the shells and *debris* of lobsters. It is set down at two dollars per ton, that being about the price paid by farmers at the factories. As this product is reputed to contain 62 pounds of phosphate acid, 5¼ pounds of potash and 80 pounds nitrogen it would rank as worth $25 per ton in agricultural value, at the retail rate of other artificial fertilizers, and as its valuable effect on the Island soil has been well approved, a much larger money value might be assigned in the report. The price to farmers is rising and will be likely to still further increase. I would estimate the year's product of such manure at 4,000 to 5,000 tons—a valuable contribution to agriculture. Not much effort has been made in preparing disintegrated manures.

I view the methods of conducting the fiheries, as very slowly but surely improving. In my first year of office, continual complaints were made that lobster refuse was cast into the sea to the detriment of other fisheries; now the farmers buy and cart away all that is made. In like manner, similar remonstrances were made against the throwing of cod offal overboard, but now it is sold as bait for lobster traps. This fact, however, does not do away with the necessity of every fishing-boat carrying a "gurry tub." When fish skins are marketed for the manufacture of glue, all the products of the fisheries will be utilized. The time, too, seems to have arrived to inaugurate co-operative labor by the formation of fishing companies, so far, at least, as concerns the taking of cod and hake. Such an enterprise seems to offer the combined elements of caution and success.

A communication was recently received from Herr Ernst Graefe, of Bremen, Germany, calling attention to a new process by which, it is claimed, fish of all kinds can be kept fresh for a length of time, or, at least, long enough to place them fresh on the European market. No details of the process were given, excepting that it is not dependent on salicylic acid. As Herr Graefe's proposal involved some mercantile arrangements, not in my line, it was handed to a gentleman largely interested in the fisheries, who has communicated with the inventor on the subject.

There are several boat entrances along the shore, where colored lamps, similar to railway lamps, might be advantageously displayed during dark nights in the fishing season. A very trifling appropriation would do this, and would encourage profitable night fishing.

In conclusion I would beg to say that, although the yields of the principal fisheries show a little more or less under the average of previous years, those practically engaged in the business do not complain of the year 1882, as a specially bad year.

I have the honor to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

J. HUNTER DUVAR,

Inspector of Fisheries, P.E.I.

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in and the Total Number of Men employed, etc., in the

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.											
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs		Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
	Number.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	Number.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	Number.	Value.							
Prince.			$			$			$									
Cascumpec Bay and Narrows, including Alberton to Kildare Capes	...	.....	.....	...	15	985	50	1000	500	...	....	...	1000	...	...	500	.....	600
Kildare to Sea Cow Pond, including Tignish	...	.....	.....	...	70	2800	240	1200	300	...	....	...	1836	...	...	1500	35000	3200
Sea Cow Pond to Nail Pond West	...	.....	.....	...	175	7941	472	2705	1400	...	....	...	.....	...	...	1491	85439	3916
West Shore to Miminigash	...	.....	.....	...	48	2400	176	400	200	...	....	...	.....	...	...	1154	24000	900
From Miminigash, including Little Miminigash and Campbellton, to West Cape	...	.....	.....	...	58	2500	180	300	180	...	....	...	.....	...	...	1250	20000	300
West Cape to Egmont Bay	...	.....	.....	...	10	200	20	600	400	...	....	...	.....	...	...	92	.....	75
Egmont Bay	2	33	1800	6	5	1000	125	3000	1200	...	....	...	.....	...	...	410	19200	2600
Bedeque Bay	...	.....	.....	...	4	80	14	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...	...	40	.....	50
Richmond Bay, including Grand River	...	.....	.....	...	200	2400	400	.....	.....	...	....	...	.....	...	...	50	.....	600
Lot Twelve	1	11	200	4	3	100	9	500	450	...	....	...	.....	...	...	20	.....	400
Tryon to Queen's County Line	6	300	4600	24	8	320	24	440	300	...	....	...	.....	...	...	100	3000	170
Rivers Dunk, Trout, Tyne, Percival, Enmore and others	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	300	120	...	....	...	.....	...	...	23	.....	60
Totals	9	344	6600	34	596	20726	1710	10445	5050	...	....	...	2836	...	...	6630	186639	12971

the Fisheries, Quantity and Value of Fishing Material, Kinds and Quantities of Fish, Province of Prince Edward Island, for the Year 1882.

Kinds of Fish.															Fish Products.			Value.
Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, lbs.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, lbs.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, lbs.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	$ cts.
.....	.....	600	3500	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2400	200	100	110000	600	...	60	35,341 00
.....	.....	1000	2500	...	500	3000	3000	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100000	2000	...	.....	63,022 40
.....	20	1002	3190	...	1169	500	.....	.....	.....	100	.....	200	.....	459200	1169	...	550	147,631 20
.....	.....	535	300	...	200	.....	.....	.....	700	600	600	1000	.....	135900	175	...	100	49,396 50
.....	.....	200	.....	...	500	500	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	623000	1000	...	.....	144,580 00
.....	6	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000	.....	.....	162	165000	.....	...	60	34,907 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	718720	.....	...	.....	161,124 00
.....	.....	100	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1,025 00
.....	.....	100	.....	...	20	10000	.....	.....	.....	500	15000	18000	50000	80000	40	...	.....	172,031 00
.....	.....	100	.....	...	50	4000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000	.....	40	...	.....	8,666 00
100	55	20	.....	...	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	3000	.....	600	.....	170000	100	...	.....	36,853 50
105	30	4	.....	...	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000	2500	1400	750	.....	.....	...	.....	3,222 25
205	111	3661	9490	...	2479	18000	3000	200	700	7200	20500	21400	53012	2560920	5124	...	770	857,799 85

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.										
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.								
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, barrels.
Queen's.			$			$			$		$							
Prince County Line to New London	...	.....	.....	...	24	2500	100	460	184	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1600	4800	740
Cavendish	6	367	6630	26	9	240	32	120	110	...	.....	...	...	...	...	240	.....	187
Clifton	...	.....	.....	...	2	150	6	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	200	.....	.....
New Glasgow to Cove Head	1	40	1250	9	70	13000	350	1000	750	...	.....	...	...	...	...	5500	.....	3500
Rustico to Cavendish	1	28	1000	9	76	14000	416	2576	1275	...	.....	...	...	...	...	7675	.....	3470
To Head of Wheatley	...	.....	.....	...	20	2500	100	100	60	...	.....	...	...	...	...	1200	.....	450
Tracadie, also Ponds, to King's County Line	...	.....	.....	...	40	2533	160	1300	530	...	.....	...	...	...	...	700	28800	835
King's County, S. W. Line to Point Prim	9	219	3000	23	15	250	30	2300	350	...	.....	...	...	...	...	20	.....	100
Pownal Bay to Seal River	...	.....	.....	...	6	120	12	.....	.....	...	.....	...	...	...	...	10	.....	40
Hillsborough Bay	...	.....	.....	...	8	140	16	300	150	...	.....	...	...	...	...	40	.....	45
Argyle Shore	...	.....	.....	...	10	200	35	200	100	...	.....	...	...	...	...	55	.....	60
De Sable to Prince County Line	4	130	5000	16	10	150	20	500	250	...	.....	...	...	...	...	100	1000	500
Rivers North, East, West, Johnston's, Vernon, Trout, Winter and others	...	.....	.....	...	3	60	6	250	120	...	.....	...	...	...	...	10	.....	40
Totals	21	784	16880	83	293	35840	1283	9106	3879	...	.....	...	...	...	...	17350	34600	9967

engaged in the Fisheries, etc.—Prince Edward Island—*Continued.*

Kinds of Fish.															Fish Products.			Value.
Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, lbs.	Pollock, cwt.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, lbs.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, lbs.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, barrels.	
																		$ cts.
.....	10	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	103400	30	..	.....	40,627 00
.....	45	75	.....	.....	40	200	...	...	.....	2500	1600	1300	.....	.....	40	...	.....	4,126 25
.....	.....	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	...	.....	400	2500	500	230	.....	50	...	.....	3,139 00
.....	.....	1400	....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	1200	.....	1000	.....	50000	1400	...	....	85,992 00
.....	.....	1674	.....	.....	.....	.....	..	...	.....	2000	7000	20000	.....	80000	800	...	150	116,304 50
.....	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	2000	...	...	100	300	100	200	.....	.....	250	...	.....	15,399 50
.....	320	286	.....	.....	8	.....	...	...	.....	600	1800	890	.....	118000	210	...	..	40,957 40
.....	.....	100	100	.....	70	300	...	...	.....	300	2000	400	.....	356400	90	...	800	74,453 50
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	400	.....	.....	350	.....	.....	...	.....	1,334 00
.....	.....	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	665 00
.....	3	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	800	5000	2000	1400	154000	.....	...	40	36,391 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	300	.....	.....	.....	75000	.....	...	80	18,328 00
.....	115	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	...	.....	1400	10000	800	2050	.....	.....	...	.....	7,587 00
.....	493	3975	100	.....	118	2500	...	...	100	10200	30000	27090	4030	936800	2870	...	1070	445,304 15

RETURN showing the Number, Tonnage and Value of Vessels and Boats

DISTRICT.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED IN FISHING.							FISHING MATERIAL.									
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs		Salmon, barrels.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, barrels.	Mackerel, in cans.
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.						
King's.			$			$			$		$						
Queen's County Line to St. Peter's	4	80	1600	28	20	900	73	1440	370	...	...	...	900	...	...	236	.....
St. Peter's to Cable Head	2	25	500	10	37	1000	94	715	300	...	...	...	4830	...	...	418	96000
Schooner Pond to Naufrage.	...	....	.....	....	70	1400	150	280	150	...	...	...	1100	...	...	2800	6000
Lots 46 and 47, including North and South Lakes	...	....	.....	...	121	2420	313	2920	970	...	...	...	.....	...	...	1384	79880
To Red Head, including Souris	...	....	.....	...1	94	2000	174	6440	3220	...	...	...	.....	...	...	1360	.....
Rollo, Fortune and Howe Bays	...	....	.....	....	18	270	54	154	72	...	...	...	.....	...	...	170	7200
To Boughton Island	...	....	.....	.....	52	1040	156	800	400	...	...	...	.....	...	...	600	.....
Cardigan Bay, including Georgetown to Cape Sharp	5	125	5000	40	30	900	60	1000	.....	...	...	...	....	...	...	200	18000
To Queen's County Line	1	40	1000	80	20	3000	90	1200	600	...	...	...	.....	...	.	25	2500
Rivers: Morell, Midgall, Marie, Montague, Cardigan, Brudenell and others	...	.....	.....	....	24	300	50	1200	600	...	...	...	.....	...	...	120	.....
Totals	12	270	8100	158	486	13230	1214	16149	6682	...	...	...	6830	...	...	7313	209580

engaged in the Fisheries, &c.—Prince Edward Island—*Concluded.*

Kinds of Fish.																Fish Products.			Value.
Herring, barrels.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.	Alewives, barrels.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, lbs.	Pollock, cwt	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, lbs.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, lbs.	Oysters, barrels.	Lobsters, cans.	Fish Oil, gallons.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, tons.	
																			$ cts.
40	73	272	223	23	...	53	2500	600	...	...	900	20000	2000	...	75000	109	...	500	22,404 30
164	.....	100	435	.....	...	40	.....	800	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	75000	435	...	600	38,830 00
350	.....	79	68	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	1250	2200	.....	...	115500	56	3	.....	54,418 90
534	.....	500	2000	2600	...	1300	.....	.....	...	...	2000	1000	4000	...	196500	1650	...	.....	85,240 50
1239	.....	100	1960	4557	...	3000	2000	.....	...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	194000	.....	...	.....	79,618 05
150	.....	.....	20	... ...	...	.....	.....	.....	...	...	500	300	1000	...	70000	5	...	.....	17,576 25
1000	.....	.....	100	400	...	200	.....	.....	...	...	300	1000	2500	...	30000	150	...	.....	17,710 50
2280	.....	.....	500	700	...	1000	.....	.....	...	...	400	1000	200	...	388000	500	...	.....	97,921 00
2550	.....	.....	950	5000	...	1425	2750	.....	..	...	.....	500	1000	...	557000	1425	...	.....	135,631 25
300	.....	.....	50	.....	...	.....	.....	1500	...	...	2000	6000	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	3,182 50
8607	73	1051	6306	13280	...	7018	7250	2900	...	...	7350	32000	10700	...	1701000	4330	3	1100	552,583 25

Return showing the Number, Tonnage, and Value of Vessels and Boats engaged in the Fisheries, Quantity and Value of Fishing Material, Kinds and Value of Fishing Material, Kinds and Quantities of Fish, and the Total Number of Men employed, &c., in the Province of Prince Edward Island, for the Year 1882.

County.	Vessels and Boats employed in Fishing.							Fishing Material.				Kinds of Fish.							
	Vessels.				Boats.			Nets.		Weirs.									
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	Fathoms.	Value.	No.	Value.	Salmon, brls.	Salmon, fresh, in ice, lbs.	Salmon, smoked, lbs.	Salmon, in cans, lbs.	Mackerel, brls.	Mackerel, in cans.	Herring, brls.	Herring, smoked, in boxes.
			$			$			$		$								
Prince	9	344	6600	34	596	20726	1710	10445	5050	.....	.....	.....	2836	.....	.....	6630	186639	12971	205
Queen's	21	784	16880	83	293	35840	1283	9106	3879	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17350	34600	9967	.....
King's	12	270	8100	158	486	13230	1214	16149	6682	.....	.....	.....	6830	.....	.....	7313	209580	8607	73
Totals	42	1398	31580	275	1375	69796	4207	35700	15611	.....	.....	.....	9666	....	.....	31293	130819	31545	278

County.	Kinds of Fish.														Fish Products.			Value.
	Alewives, brls.	Cod, cwt.	Cod Tongues and Sounds, lbs.	Pollock.	Hake, cwt.	Haddock, lbs.	Halibut, lbs.	Shad, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Trout, lbs.	Smelt, lbs.	Eels, lbs.	Oysters, brls.	Lobsters, cans.	Fish Oil, galls.	Fish Guano, tons.	Fish used as manure, tons.	
																		$ cts.
Prince	111	3661	9490	...	2479	18000	3000	200	700	7200	20500	21400	53012	2560920	5124	.....	770	857,799 85
Queen's	493	3975	100	...	118	2500	.....	.....	100	10200	30000	27090	4030	936800	2870	....	1070	445,304 15
King's	1051	6306	13280	...	7018	7250	2900	.....	.....	7350	32000	10700	.....	1701000	4330	3	1100	552,583 25
Totals	1655	13942	22870	...	9615	27750	5900	200	800	24750	82500	59190	57042	5198720	12324	3	2940	1,855,687 25

RECAPITULATION of the Yield of the Fisheries of the Province of Prince Edward Island, during the Year 1882.

Kinds of Fish.	Quantities.		Value.
			$ cts.
Salmon, fresh	Lbs.	9,666	1,449 90
Mackerel	Barrels	31,293	312,930 00
do preserved	Cans	430,819	64,622 85
Herring	Barrels	31,545	126,180 00
do smoked	Boxes	278	69 50
Alewives	Barrels	1,655	5,792 50
Cod	Cwt.	13,942	59,253 50
Cod and Hake Sounds	Lbs.	22,870	14,865 50
Hake	Cwt.	9,615	33,652 50
Haddock	Lbs.	27,750	1,665 00
Halibut	"	5,900	354 00
Shad	"	200	12 00
Bass	"	800	48 00
Trout	"	24,750	1,485 00
Smelt	"	82,500	4,950 00
Eels	"	59,190	3,551 40
Oysters	Barrels	57,042	171,126 00
Lobsters, canned	Cans	5,198,720	1,039,744 00
Fish Oil	Gallons	12,324	8,010 60
Fish Guano	Tons	3	45 00
Fish Manure	"	2,940	5,880 00
Total Value of the products of Prince Edward Island Fisheries for 1882			1,855,687 25
do do for 1881			1,955,289 80
Decrease			99,602 55

No. 6.

BRITISH COLUMBIA.

VICTORIA, B. C. 20th February, 1883.

THE HON. A. W. McLELAN,
Minister of Marine and Fisheries,
Ottawa.

SIR,—I have the honour to transmit the usual statements and other documents relating to the Fisheries of this Province for the past year.

2. The result, I am happy to say, shows favorably, there having been an increase in the total cash valuation as under:—

Total for 1882	$1,842,675 05
do do 1881	1,454,321 26
Increase	$388,353.79

It may be added that a lower valuation of several items of the Return than that of last year has been adopted, and especially of the canned fish. Valued throughout by the same scale the return of the present year would have exceeded $2,000,000.

3. The value of the vessels, nets, and other implements employed is computed at $229,670.00; while the valuation of the salmon canneries and other fishing stations along the coast reaches $402,000.00. Employment has been given, during the fishing season, to 5,215 fishermen and other persons, including seventy-nine sailors—the last employed chiefly in the fur-seal fleet.

4. The comparative yield of canned salmon has been as under:—

Cases 4 doz. 1 lb. cans, 1882	255,061
do do do 1881	177,276
Increase	77,785

Twenty canneries have been in operation during the season, of which thirteen are situated on Fraser River; the other seven at various points along the northern coast as far as the boundary of Alaska. The establishment of other canneries is in contemplation, and it seems certain that there will be a large extension of this important business with the approaching season.

5. Overseer Pittendreigh reports favorably of the condition of affairs on the Fraser, and little stringency has been necessary to secure the observance of the law. The district, however, is extensive, and Mr. Pittendreigh suggests the expediency of employing in future, during the salmon season, two wardens or constables, one in the neighborhood of Yale, the other near the mouth of the river. All difficulty concerning the disposal of the offal from the canneries, referred to last year, has disappeared.

6. The herring business at Burrard Inlet, immediately north of the Fraser, has considerably increased during the past season. About 1,760 barrels and other pack-

ages of the salted fish have been packed. These are intended for the Australian market, where an eager demand for the herring of this coast appears to have sprung up. With the continuance, and probable increase of this demand, a wide opening for the extension of this branch of industry is apparent. The oil business of the Burrard Inlet Fishing Company has been moderately productive; but the apparatus for drying the scrap for shipment appears to be still defective. About 150 tons only of the dried scrap have been secured, a portion if not all of which has been shipped to London. It is to be regretted that the operations of this enterprising firm have been in so far retarded, for there seems to be little room for question that, when in full and effective operation, the business they have in view will prove largely remunerative.

7. The chief oil business of this coast, at present, is the extraction of the oil from the livers of the "piked dog-fish" (*squalus acanthius*), in reality a small variety of shark, as its classified name indicates. In paragraphs 38 to 40 of my Report of last year, I drew attention to the subject of this oil, in connection with the extensive works now in progress at Skidegate, on Queen Charlotte Islands. It is gratifying to know that this valuable industry, throughout the coast, is constantly increasing with the augmented demand, as well for local consumption as for shipment abroad.

8. A glance at the table of returns will suffice to show that a considerable increase in the varied sources of yield is gradually proceeding. The oyster business, so far, has made little apparent advance; but the lessees of the Mud Bay flats, with recently increased capital, are, I am assured, prosecuting the object of their lease with vigour. Another application for the lease of a portion of Sooke Harbour, has been forwarded to Ottawa for your approval; and a third application for the lease of a portion of Victoria Arm, also for oyster culture has recently been prepared, and after enquiry, will be forwarded for your consideration.

9. The fur-seal fishery has been moderately successful. There has been, however, some decline in prices, and I have accordingly reduced the rate of valuation in the list. So valued, the season's yield reaches $177,000.00. The following vessels, equipped in Victoria, were engaged in this pursuit during the past season:—

			Tons.	Sailors.	Hunters.
1.	Schooner	"Grace".....	80	5	36
2.	do	"Dolphin" Steam auxiliary.	80	5	36
3.	do	"Juanita".....	50	4	32
4.	do	"W. P. Sayward".....	75	4	32
5.	do	"Favourite".....	80	5	32
6.	do	"Mary Ellen".....	65	5	36
7.	do	"Kate".....	55	4	28
8.	do	"Onward".....	35	4	32
9.	do	"Black Diamond".....	80	4	32
10.	do	"Winifred".....	15	2	12
11.	do	"Anna Beck" Steam auxiliary	50	4	32
12.	do	"Thornton".....	35	4	28
13.	do	"Alfred Adams".....	75	4	32
			775	54	400

Employing 200 cedar canoes for hunters' use.

10. Of the pack of canned salmon during the past season the proportions secured in Fraser River and the northern canneries are as under:

	Cases.
Fraser River, 13 canneries.....	199,204
Northern River, 7 do	55,857
Total cases.....	255,061

Each case containing four dozen one pound tins, representing an aggregate of 12,242,928 pounds. Of this amount the following shipments are recorded:—

		Cases.
Per "Lady Head" for	London 3rd Sept., 1882	18,183
do "Albany" for	do 20th Sept.	21,097
do "Girvan" for	do 3rd Oct.	28,437
do "Spirit of the Dawn" for	do 15th Oct.	31,608
do "Bodrhyddan" for	do 19th Oct.	21,698
do "Latona" for	do 25th Oct.	42,425
do "Grace Gibson" for	do 25th Jan., 1883	23,314
do "Frederick" for Liverpool	14th Oct., 1882	37,129
Total exported to England		223,901
Exported to Eastern Canada, Australia, &c., and retained for local consumption		31,160
Total		255,061

From the Columbia River the following shipments took place during the past season by various ships, from June 12th to 20th of December:—

	Cases.
Foreign, by twelve ships, chiefly for London	350,775
To San Francisco	170,281
Total	521,056

The capital invested in the fisheries of the Columbia River, as given by the trade report of the *Oregonian* newspaper of Portland, "is estimated at $2,000,000, and employment is given, during the fishing season, to more than 7,000 men. Large quantities of tin plate are imported from England direct to the Columbia River, the canning industry having introduced our direct import trade with England by the large quantities of tin, sheet iron and chemicals required. Duty on tin plates, less 10 per cent., is refunded to canners on their making proper entry at the Custom House at the time of making foreign shipment.

11. The yield of the California and northern coast canneries (in Alaska) for 1882, apart from the Columbia River, is given by the San Francisco *Commercial Herald* as 210,978 cases, thus completing a return from all sources on the Pacific coast of 987,095 cases.

12. In addition to the quantity of salmon canned for export during the past year in British Columbia, a little over 5,000 barrels of salted salmon have also been packed. The demand for the fish, so cured, appears to be rapidly increasing; and there can be little question that, with due care in the preparation, the barrelled salmon of this coast will soon attain a world-wide reputation. In this branch of industry less capital is required than in the prosecution of the canning business, and a broad field is thus opened for the industrious fishermen of moderate means. But in this business, as in the canning business, a conscientious and intelligent care alone will secure for a particular brand a merited reputation. In my report of last year, paragraph 51, I referred strongly, but with as much delicacy as I could, to this subject; to the remarks then made I again emphatically ask reference.

13. The system of salmon licenses authorized during the past year has worked very effectively. Applications for licenses at various points along the coast have been made, in addition to the fisheries in operation last year, and there is every indication that the business throughout will be prosecuted with increased activity during the approaching season.

14. The question of a salmon hatchery on the waters of the Fraser continues to be agitated. By telegram from the Department, of 10th July last, I was asked to "name the place on Fraser River best suitable for a salmon hatchery?" To this I telegraphed in reply, suggesting that, in a decision so momentous, the opinion of an expert from Canada, cognizant of all the requirements, should rather be called for. I respectfully ask reference to my subsequent letter of the 11th July, wherein I give my reasons for declining to assume the grave responsibility proposed. Meanwhile I subjoin an extract, which will at least convey a general notion of my view:—

"* * * I respectfully refer you to a passage of my Report for "the year 1877 (page 288 of your General Report). Also to paragraph 17, of my "Report for the year 1878.

"As stated in my telegram, it should, I opine, rest with a duly appointed expert "from Canada to decide upon this question of location, after full enquiry here. The "experience of failure on the Columbia River, through hasty and ill-advised attempts, "is not to be lost sight of in arriving at our own decision. To this I have referred "in paragraph 53 of my last Report (1881); and to this I respectfully refer you."

15. On this subject, then, so interesting in itself and its bearing, so important to the public interest, I have little now to add beyond asking reference to the remarks made in divers of my previous Reports. In these I have stated, generally, my individual views, and indicated some of the objects, among others which, in the formation of an establishment of this nature, it would be desirable to attain.

16. During the summer an advertisement appeared in our local newspapers, offering for sale the privilege of using an implement known as "Williams' Revolving Fishing Wheel," for which, in addition to the patent previously secured in the United States, patent rights had recently been granted in Canada. As notified to the Department, under date 15th September last, I at once took measures to point out that the use of this wheel for salmon fishing purposes as proposed, would not be permitted in the waters of this Province, seeing that its action, if widely adopted, would greatly injure, if not, in time, destroy, our valuable fishery. Subsequently, on the 26th October, I supplied some further explanations on this subject; and I have now to add that further enquiry has tended to confirm me only the more strongly in the opinion I had formed.

I judged it to be expedient, on the 14th September last, to address His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor (writing in my capacity as a Justice of the Peace of the Province, and as Inspector of Fisheries), and to point out the consequences that might be apprehended were all the ships of war at that time on the station to be suddenly removed, as was then rumoured to be in contemplation. His Honor subsequently moved in this matter, as I am informed, through the proper channel; and it is trusted that the representations which have been made have not been without effect. Meanwhile our extensive line of coast has been left, at least temporarily, without that show of protection—symbolic of the power to restrain or punish—to which the peaceful condition of our coast-line has been largely due, and under which the continued investment of capital in the development of our fisheries has securely proceeded.

The urgency of this question, I am aware, has already been brought under the notice of the Government; and if I here passingly allude to it, it is because the subject relates too intimately to the business of your Department to be entirely omitted in an official report.

18. Nor was it long before the necessity which had been indicated was strikingly illustrated. Troubles arose at Methlakatla, the interesting Indian settlement on our extreme northern coasts to which I have more than once drawn attention in former reports. In our helpless condition the Government had no alternative, to meet the apparent urgency of the case, than to ask the temporary services of the United States Revenue steamer "Oliver Wolcott." Their request was promptly acceded to by telegram from Washington; and through this courteous aid a settlement of a difficulty which might, by possibility, have had disastrous results, was speedily effected.

19. By special request of the Provincial Government, I accompanied, as a Justice of the Peace, the Indian Superintendent, Col. Powell, on this mission to Methlakatla. I will not here enter upon the merits of the unseemly and deplorable missionary discords in which the whole of the recent difficulties appear to have originated. Let it suffice to say that, leaving Victoria, on board the "Wolcott," on the 13th of January, we reached Victoria on our return about the end of the month, after an absence of seventeen days. I cannot express too highly my appreciation of the kind attentions of our host, Captain L. N. Stodder, during our voyage, and the cordial aid extended to us, in every way, by his officers.

20. In conclusion, I may state that everything in this quarter indicates the rapid expansion of our varied industrial interests—and not least of all the fishing interest, the extreme future value of which is gradually being recognized. The rapid advance of the Canadian Pacific Railway warrants the assumption that, ere long, direct communication with the Eastern Provinces will be available; and it is easy to conceive, at least partially, the impetus which this much desired communication will give to all our industries on the Pacific coast.

I have the honour to be, Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

ALEX. C. ANDERSON,

Inspector of Fisheries for British Columbia.

NUMBER and value of vessels and nets engaged in the different fisheries of the Province of British Columbia, during the Year 1882:—

14	Steamers and steam auxiliaries, 5 to 80 tons = 198 tons 12 Schooners, 10 to 80 tons = 954 "	954 tons.	$ 84,800
654	Fishing boats 250 Cedar canoes	904	37,640
47	Flat-boats		6,070
845	Salmon nets = 246,320 yards		89,740
1	Herring seine		100
26	" nets		4,440
79	Fish seines		6,990
5	Oolâhan nets		180
			$229,670

20	Salmon canneries, estimated value	$369,000
1	Oil factory, Queen Charlotte Island	8,000
1	Oil and scrap factory, Burrard Inlet	25,000
		$402,000

Sailors	79
Fishermen	2,705
Shoremen	2,431

ALEX. C. ANDERSON,

Inspector of Fisheries, B.C.

VICTORIA, B.C., 16th February, 1883.

RECAPITULATION.

YIELD and Value of the different Fisheries in the Province of British Columbia, in the Year 1882.

Kinds.		Quantities.	Value.
			$ cts.
Salmon, salted	Brls.	5,056½	45,508 50
do fresh	Lbs.	112,600	9,008 00
do canned, cases 4 dozen 1 lb. cans		255,061	1,402,835 50
do smoked		Value.	1,630 00
Sturgeon, fresh	Lbs.	79,700	4,782 00
Whiting do	"	19,600	1,176 00
Halibut do in ice, to San Francisco, per Customs Return		Value.	380 00
Herring, salted	Brls.	1,289½	10,316 00
do do	Kitts.	423	1,374 75
do smoked		Value.	2,600 00
Orout, fresh	Lbs.	26,900	2,152 00
Tolâhans and Herrings, fresh	"	39,400	1,970 00
do salted	Brls.	116	928 00
do do	Half-barrels	44	198 00
do do	Kitts.	37	92 50
do smoked	Boxes.	1,261	1,261 00
Clams, canned, cases 4 dozen in 1 lb. cans		50	250 00
Fur Seal Skins	No.	17,700	177,000 00
Hair do	"	3,500	1,750 00
Sea Otter Skins	"	170	8,500 00
Oil—Ooâlhan	Galls.	3,200	3,200 00
Dog-fish, refined	"	37,000	20,350 00
do Porpoise, &c	"	196,407	78,562 80
Herring	"	15,000	6,000 00
Dried Fish-scrap	Tons.	150	2,250 00
Fish, salted, assorted	Brls.	100	600 00
do fresh, sold in markets		Value.	55,000 00
do cured for private consumption		do	3,000 00
Total			1,842,675 05
Total for 1881			1,454,321 26
Increase			388,353 79

ADDITIONAL.

Value of computed consumption of Fish by the Indian population (35,000) as per previous detail:—

Salmon	$4,375,000 00
Halibut	180,000 00
Sturgeon and other Fish	250,000 00
Fish Oils	80,000 00
	$4,885,000 00

ALEX. C. ANDERSON,
Inspector of Fisheries, B.C.

RETURN showing the Kinds, Quantities and Prices of Fish

NAME OF STATION.	NAME OF OWNER.	Salmon, barrels, cured, at $9 per barrel.	Salmon, fresh, lbs., at 8 cts. per lb.	Salmon, in cans, cases of 48 lbs. each, at $5.50.	Salmon, smoked, value.	Sturgeon, lbs., at 6 cts.	Whiting, &c., lbs., at 6 cts.	Halibut, fresh, in ice, value.	Herring, barrels, at $8 per barrel, and kitts, $3.25.	Herring, smoked, value.
					$			$		$
Fraser River—										
New Westminster..	Ewen & Co.	500		20000		5400				
Lulu Island	English & Co.	120		26000		4200				
New Westminster..	do									
do	British Columbia Packing Co.	260		21500		4000				
Coquitlam	Haigh & Sons	450		15401		3500				
Ladner's Landing.	Delta Canning Co.	178		26700		5000				
Sapperton	Laidlaw & Co.	200		27365		4500				
do	do									
Canoe Pass	British American Packing Co.			15000		3400				
do	John Adair & Co.			20478		4200				
do	William Adair & Co.			7560		2500				
North Arm	Fraser & Co.	150		9600		5000				
Dease Island	Findlay, Durham & Brodie.	210		9600		3000				
New Westminster and other points.	J. McDonald		8000			2000				
do	F. Kaye	900				2500			275	
do	D. Bossanich				130				30	
do	J. Herring	40	28000			11000	5000			
do	J. Ibbotson		23000			9500	4600			
do	Several residents, for personal use	300	50600			10000				
Burrard Inlet	Burrard Inlet Fishing Co								b. 259½ k. 423	
do	Residents, for personal use.		3000				10000		b 200	100
do	J. Gold								b 525	
Nass River	Douglas Packing Co.	20		6500						
do	Henry E. Croasdaile.			9600						
Rivers' Inlet	Rivers' Inlet Canning Co.	60		5635						
Skeena River	Turner, Beeton & Co.	40		12137						
do	Windsor Canning Co	237		12385						
do	R. Cunningham	b. 784, ½ b. 175								

n the Province of British Columbia, for the Year 1882.

Assorted Fish, barrels, at $6 per barrel.	Trout, lbs., at 8 cts.	Oolâhans, fresh, lbs., at 6 cts., and Herrings.	Oolâhans, salted, barrels, at $8 per barrel.	Oolâhans, smoked, boxes, at $1 per box.	No. of Fur Seal-skins, at $10.	No. of Seal skins (Hair Seals), at 50 cts.	No. of Sea Otter Skins, at $50.	Oils.				Herring, Dried Scrap, tons, at $15.	Where Marketed.
								Oolâhan Oil, gallons, at $1.	Dogfish Oil, refined, gallons, at 55 cts.	Dogfish, Seal and Porpoise Oil, gallons, at 40 cts.	Herring Oil, gallons, at 40 cts.		
													England and Australia.
													England and Canada.
													England, Canada and Australia.
													do do
													Canada, Australia & South America.
													England, Canada and Australia.
													England and Canada.
													England.
													England, Canada and Australia.
													England and Australia.
													do do
													Home consumption.
													San Francisco and Sandwich Islands.
													Home consumption.
	2600	H. 10000 O. 3000											do
	2300	H 9000 O. 2400											do
	20000	O. 5000											do
											15000	150	England and Australia.
	2000	H. 10000											Home consumption.
													Sydney and Adelaide, Australia.
			16					2000					England, &c.
			100	200				1200					do
													do
													do
													do
													Honolulu and Australia.

RETURN showing the Kinds, Quantities and Prices of Fish

NAME OF STATION.	NAME OF OWNER.	Salmon, barrels, cured, at $9 per barrel.	Salmon, fresh, lbs., at 8 cts. per lb.	Salmon, in cans, cases of 48 lbs. each, at $5.50.	Salmon, smoked, value.	Sturgeon, lbs., at 6 cts.	Whiting, &c., lbs., at 6 cts.	Halibut, fresh, in ice, value.	Herring, barrels, at $8 per barrel, and kitts, $3.25.	Herring, smoked, value.
					$			$		$
Alert Bay	Thos. Earle & Co.	.....	.....	4600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Methlakatla	Methlakatla Cannery	.....	.....	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Queen Charlotte Island	Skidegate Oil Co	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Coast of British Columbia	Victoria Merchants, including Hudson's Bay Co	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do do	Oil exports, per Customs return	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do do	Local consumption, mills, mines, shipping, &c.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
do do	To San Francisco in ice, per Customs return	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	380	.....	.....
do do	Various parties in Victoria, Esquimalt and other places	400	.....	.....	1500	.....	.....	.....	.....	2500
Beecher Bay, V.I.	J. W. McKay & Co	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Nass River	Saunders & Co	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Total barrels	4969	112600	.....	1630	.....	19600	.....	1289½	2600
	" ½ barrels (= 5,056 ½ barrels.)	175	.....	255061	.....	79700	.....	380	k. 423	.....

ADD—Estimated sales of Fish in markets	$55,000 00
do amount of Fish cured for private consumption	3,000 00
Total	$58,000 00

in the Province of British Columbia, for the Year 1882—*Concluded.*

Assorted Fish, barrels, at $6 per barrel.	Trout, lbs., at 8 cts.	Oolâhans, fresh, lbs., at 6 cts., and Herrings.	Oolâhans, salted, barrels, at $8 per barrel.	Oolâhans, smoked, boxes, at $1 per box.	No. of Fur Seal-skins, at $10.	No. of Seal-skins (Hair Seals), at 50 cts.	No. of Sea Otter Skins, at $50.	Oils.				Herring, Dried Scrap, tons, at $15.	Where Marketed.
								Oolâhan Oil, gallons, at $1.	Dogfish Oil, refined, gallons, at 55 cts.	Dogfish, Seal and Porpoise Oil, gallons, at 40 cts.	Herring Oil, gallons, at 40 cts.		
.....	.....	.....	*50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	England.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	do
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37000	.....	.....	.....	Portland and local sale.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17700	3500	170	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	London, chiefly.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	101407	.....	.....	London.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95000	.....	.....	Home consumption.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	San Francisco.
100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Local sale, chiefly.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Australia.
.....	.....	.....	half 44 k'ts 37	1061	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	Local sale, chiefly.
.....	26900	.....	116	1261	.....	3500	.....	3200	.....	196407	.....	150	
100	.....	39400	halves 44 kitts 37 Clams 50	...	17700	.....	170	.....	37000	.....	15000	.....	

* Boxes of canned Clams, 48 one pound cans, at $5 per box.

ALEX. C. ANDERSON,
Inspector of Fisheries, B.C.

RETURN showing the Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, etc., in the Province of British Columbia, for the Year 1882.

NAME OF PLACE.	NAME OF FITTER OUT.	VESSELS.				FISHING BOATS.		FLAT BOATS.		No. of Fishermen.	No. of Shoremen.	NETS AND SEINES.											
												Salmon Nets.			Herring Seines.		Herring Nets.			Fish Seines.		Oolâhan Nets.	
		No.	Tons.	Value.	No. of Sailors.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.			No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Yards.	Value.	No.	Yards.	No.	Value.
				$			$		$					$		$			$				$
Fraser River—																							
New Westminster..	Ewen & Co.	*1	96	10000	4	29	1160	4	400	150	170	80	19200	9600	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Lulu Island	English & Co.	*1	20	6000	2	50	2500	2	450	200	300	80	20000	10000	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
New Westminster..	do																						
do ...	British Columbia Packing Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	28	1200	3	600	120	160	50	20000	5000	..	.....	...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....
Coquitlam	Haigh & Sons	*1	13	2500	2	30	1050	6	600	125	150	70	35000	9000	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Ladner's Landing.	Delta Canning Co.	*1	4	2500	2	38	1400	4	300	200	200	60	15000	6000	.	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Sapperton	Laidlaw & Co.	*1	30	3000	2	40	1800	3	300	170	280	50	14000	5000	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
do	do																						
Canoe Pass	British American Packing Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	26	1040	...	.....	104	220	60	12000	2400	..	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
do	John Adair & Co.	*1	3	1000	1	31	1240	3	245	125	150	52	15600	7540	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
do	William Adair & Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	800	...	.....	75	80	19	7800	3000	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
North Arm	Fraser & Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	640	...	.....	60	120	30	5200	3000	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Dease Island	Findlay, Durham & Brodie	*1	15	2500	2	23	805	2	150	80	105	40	24000	3000	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
New Westminster and other points.	J. McDonald	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	35	...	.....	4	.....	1	400	150	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
do ...	J. Kaye	.....	.....	.....	.....	9	315	1	100	34	40	9	3600	900	...	.....	1	140	200	...	.....	.....	.....
do ...	D. Bossanich	†1	5	500	2	12	490	...	.....	48	3	12	2460	1000	...	... ..	1	50	100	...	.....	.....	.....
do ...	J. Herring & Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	10	300	..	.....	40	4	10	2000	1000	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
do ...	J. Ibbotson	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	160	...	.....	16	2	4	1600	450	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Burrard Inlet	Burrard Inlet Fishing Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	230	8	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	3	1500	1900	...	.....	1	100
do	J. Gold	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	50	1	75	7	35	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	1	100	250	...	.....	.....	.....
do	J. Pette	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	60	...	.....	2	22	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....
do	J. Kinkade and other residents	†1	12	600	2	9	470	...	.....	9	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Fraser River and Mud Bay	Boats licensed to fish for sale to canneries	.....	.....	.....	.....	39	1400	...	.....	156	.....	39	7800	3900	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....		.....

Nass River	H. E. Croasdaile	*1	4	1200	2	18	630	2	300	75	30	40	10000	5000	...	.....	..	.....	.....	1	240	4	80
do	Douglas Packing Co.	*1	5	1000	2	16	800	1	200	32	60	16	4800	2000	...	.....	...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....
Rivers' Inlet	Rivers' Inlet Canning Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	7	315	1	250	28	50	7	1120	1050	...	.....	..	.....	.....	2	600	.....	.....
Skeena River	Turner, Beeton & Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	1050	1	250	60	75	45	9000	3500	...	.....	..	.....	.....	1	150	.....	.....
do	Windsor Canning Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	1050	1	250	60	75	45	10000	3800	...	.....	..	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
do	Methlakatla Cannery	*1	5	1000	2	15	750	...	.....	30	50	15	4000	1800	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
do	R. Cunningham	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	250	...	.....	10	5	5	1000	750	...	.....	...	.....	.....	..	.....	.....	.....
Alert Bay	Thomas Earle & Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	6	250	1	50	10	30	6	800	600	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Beecher Bay	J. W. McKay & Co.	.....	.....	.....	.....	2	100	...	.....	5	5	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
Coast of British Columbia (estimated)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100	10000	...	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	20	.....	2000	75	6000	.....	.....
West Coast of Vancouver Island	Fur Seal Fishery	*3	165	20000	54	‡200	4000	...	.....	400	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	...	.....	....	...	.....	.....	.....
		†10	540	27000																			
Queen Charlotte Island	Skidegate Oil Co.	*1	37	6000	3	6	300	3	750	70	10	.....	.....	.....	1	100	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....
						‡50	1000																
	Total Steamers	14	954	84800	82	652	37640	47	6070	2705	2431	845	.....	89440	1	100	20	1790	4450	79	6990	5	180
	do Schooners	12		.....	.....	‡250		...	.....	.....	.....	.....	246320	.....	...	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....

* Steamers. † Schooners. ‡ Canoes.

ALEX. C. ANDERSON,
Inspector of Fisheries, B.C.

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RETURN of the Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., together with

STATION.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED FISHING.							NETS, THEIR NUMBER, SIZE,								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pound Nets.		
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.
			$			$				$			$			$
Lake Superior Division.																
Thunder Bay	...	...	.....	...	4	450	8	34	1775	850	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Welcome Islands	...	...	.....	...	4	450	8	38	1800	1100	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Point Porphery	...	...	.....	...	2	175	4	22	650	425	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Roche Debout	*1	38	300	3	15	400	30	70	1400	700	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Salter's Island	...	...	.....	...	3	450	.....	12	1125	720	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
St. Ignace Island	...	...	.....	...	5	350	15	50	750	350	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Black Bay	1	15	1500	3	2	250	4	12	500	300	...	...	...	2	.....	500
Michipicoten Island	...	...	.....	...	7	670	10	49	1250	1550	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Grand Sable	...	...	.....	...	30	2250	60	29	2000	3000	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Namanise	...	...	.....	...	3	275	6	32	1666	2750	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Mica Bay	...	...	.....	...	1	100	2	4	400	240	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Lizard Island	...	...	.....	...	4	835	8	48	4800	1606	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Gros Cap	...	...	.....	..	1	75	2	4	300	150	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Algoma Mills	...	...	.....	...	7	1850	14	84	8400	2600	...	...	..	...	.....	.....
Sault St. Marie Rapids for Indians	...	...	.....	...	4	160	6	12	300	35	...	...	...	...	.....	.....
Totals	2	53	1800	6	92	7040	177	500	27116	16376	...	...	...	2	.....	500
Manitoulin Island Division.																
Ducks Islands	*2	37	6500	12	25	2500	70	800	28800	8000	...	...	...	7	420	4000
Green and Cockburn Island	*2	55	7000	13	12	600	25	400	.....	3000	...	...	..	8	.....	3200
Totals	4	92	13500	25	37	3100	95	1200	28800	11000	...	...	...	15	420	7200

*Tugs.

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the Yield and Value of Fish in the Province of Ontario, for the Year 1882.

Value, &c.				Kinds, and Quantities of Fish.												
Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.														
No.	Value.	No.	Value.	Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Coarse Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption, lbs.	Total Value.
	$		$													$ cts.
.....	.....	.....	.....	70	78000	.....	58000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5000	11,580 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	50	24600	.....	35000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,268 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	90	.....	195	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20000	2,850 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	70	.....	205	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,750 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	375	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,000 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	30	.....	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	22000	1,100 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	25	8000	.....	14000	.....	.....	.....	40000	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,410 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	83	11572	405	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	14200	5,805 76
.....	.....	.....	.....	310	.....	85	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,950 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	261	.....	163	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,240 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	250 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	113	.....	101	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,140 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	10	.....	21	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	310 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	151	1800	68	700	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2500	2,390 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	35	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	350 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	1448	123972	1698	107700	.....	.....	.....	40000	.....	.....	.....	†63700	52,393 76
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200000	.....	500000	.....	.....	.....	50000	.....	50000	.....	.....	61,500 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	122435	.....	148630	.....	.....	.....	479466	.....	.....	.....	.....	50,453 16
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	322435	.....	648630	.....	.....	.....	529466	.....	50000	.....	.....	111,953 16

†Home consumption, $3,822.

RETURN of the Number and Value of Vessels,

STATION.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED FISHING.							NETS, THEIR NUMBER, SIZE,								
	Vessels				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pounds Nets.		
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.
Georgian Bay Division.			$			$				$			$			$
Killarney	*1	55	7000	5	32	4240	64	414	37635	14480	...	...	...	...	...	...
South Bay	...	...	...	...	1	100	2	12	1090	420	...	...	...	...	...	...
Byng Inlet	1	60	3000	5	7	1050	19	84	7636	2940	...	...	...	...	...	...
Club Island	...	...	...	...	1	100	2	12	1090	420	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lonely Island	...	...	...	...	6	650	12	68	5818	2380	...	...	...	...	...	...
Horse Island	...	...	...	...	1	100	2	8	725	280	...	...	...	...	...	...
Collingwood	1	45	3000	5	3	450	6	38	3454	1330	...	...	...	4	2000	...
Midland and Penetanguishene Stations, from Point Cockburn to Moose Deer Point	...	...	...	...	33	1245	70	281	6620	1835	1	175	...	...	...	...
Meaford, Isle of Coves and Thornbury	4	78	2600	10	9	960	18	41	6600	4100	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cape Rich	...	...	...	...	3	220	6	8	1300	875	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vail's Point	...	...	...	...	6	455	11	15	1950	1315	...	...	...	...	...	...
Owen Sound	1	10	500	3	5	450	10	18	2600	1775	...	...	...	...	...	...
Colpoy's Bay	...	...	...	...	3	185	5	8	750	530	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lion's Head	...	...	...	...	4	375	8	10	1090	780	...	...	...	...	...	...
Totals	8	248	16100	28	114	10580	235	1017	78358	33460	1	175	...	4	2000	...

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Boats, Nets, &c. – Ontario— *Continued.*

Value, &c.				Kinds and Quantities of Fish.												Total Value.
Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.		Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Coarse Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption, brls.	
No.	Value.	No.	Value.													
	$															$
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	810300	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	64,824 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	100	14000	75	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,870 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	75	179200	45	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,536 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	27000	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,160 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	134200	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,736 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	290	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,900 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	197550	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,804 00
2	40	.....	.....	249	.....	180	.....	47	.....	200	42600	12600	.....	262	.....	8,771 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	30	4000	800	150000	8	.....	.....	5000	.....	.....	.....		20,960 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	70	25000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		2,700 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	170	20000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	†620	3,300 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000	145	60000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		6,330 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	15000	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		1,600 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	65	8000	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		1,290 00
2	40	.....	.....	744	1367250	1595	278100	85	.....	200	47600	12600	.....	262	620	159,781 00

†620 brls. mixed fish used for home consumption—value, $2,480

RETURN of the Number and Value of Vessels,

STATION.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED FISHING.							NETS, THEIR NUMBER, SIZE,								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pound Nets.		
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.
			$			$				$			$			$
Lake Huron Division.																
Saugeen River	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Southampton	...	...	...	...	11	2230	30	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Kincardine	...	...	...	...	5	1100	15	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Sable Beach	...	...	...	..	.....	.....	19	.....	.....	.....	8	.....	505	...	.....	.....
Burk Island	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	150	...	.....	.....
Goderich	...	...	...	...	6	1075	19	474	10008	4350	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Bayfield	...	...	...	...	3	550	9	225	5010	2250	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Bosanquet	...	...	...	...	10	470	38	.....	.....	.....	9	590	1375	1	100	350
Lake View	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	125	260	2700	1500	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Lake Shore	...	...	...	...	10	210	33	.....	.....	.....	8	537	1235	...	1800	40
Military Reserve	...	...	...	...	1	25	7	.....	.....	.....	1	65	150	...	.....	.....
Point Edward	...	...	...	...	4	140	10	.....	.....	.....	4	44	240	...	.....	.....
Sarnia Bay	...	...	...	...	2	35	6	8	.....	48	1	12	80	...	.....	.....
Indian Reserve	...	...	...	...	6	71	25	.....	.....	.....	6	81	245	...	.....	.....
Moore	...	...	...	...	5	76	22	.....	.....	.....	4	59	220	...	.....	.....
Sombra	...	...	...	...	3	65	12	.....	.....	.....	4	80	400	...	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	...	...	66	6047	375	967	17718	8148	47	1468	4600	1	1900	390
Lake St. Clair and Thames River Division.																
Mitchell's Bay	...	...	...	...	6	148	24	.....	.....	.....	6	168	670	...	.....	.....
Sydenham River	...	..	...	...	1	10	3	.....	.....	.....	1	6	50	...	.....	.....
Thames River	...	...	...	...	25	296	164	.....	.....	.....	28	352	1500	...	.....	.....
Stony Point	...	...	...	...	7	185	28	.....	.....	.....	7	482	1325	...	.....	.....
Totals	...	..	...	...	39	639	219	.....	.....	.....	42	1008	3545	...	.....	.....
Detroit River Division.																
Detroit River	...	...	...	...	18	226	92	.....	.....	.....	22	64	2600	...	.....	.....

Boats, Nets, &c.—Ontario—*Continued.*

Value, &c.				Kinds and Quantities of Fish.													Total Value.
Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.															
No.	Value.	No.	Value.	Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Coarse Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption, brls.		
	$		$														$ cts.
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	60000	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		4,800 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	307000	.....	290000	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		47,760 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	60000	.....	87000	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		11,760 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	650	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		3,250 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	150	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		750 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	207000	.....	107600	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	990		25,168 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	103600	.....	56600	110	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	590		13,366 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	157000	.....	.....	200	....	14000	41800	.....	42200	.....	1485		19,018 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	4000	380	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		2,220 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	1900	.....	106000	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		8,152 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	225	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125		1,125 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	1160	....	.....	117300	.....	22000	.....	580		13,938 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	224	....	.....	3750	200	.....	.....	135		1,355 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	592	....	.....	20000	.....	500	.....	311		4,185 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	604	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	198		3,020 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	100	....	.....	102200	.....	.....	.....	.....		6,632 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	836500	.....	705200	4395	.....	14000	285050	200	64700	.....	.....		166,499 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	82800	.....	12000	.....	445	30		7,348 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	16600	.....	.....	20	30		1,076 00
8	24	9	16	...	16600	.....	29600	291	....	.....	92800	200	.....	678	300		13,441 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	2600	32000	.....	600	425	.....		3,830 00
8	24	9	16	...	16600	.....	29600	291	400	85400	141400	12200	600	1568	360		25,695 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	...	75000	.....	.....	104	600	.....	18000	200	14200	215	.....		9,216 00

Return of the Number and Value of Vessels,

Station.	Vessels and Boats employed Fishing.							Nets, their Number, Size,								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pound Nets.		
	No.	Tonnage	Value.	Men.	No	Value.	Men.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.
Lake Erie Division.			$			$				$			$			$
Point Pelee	...	...	.....	...	25	2210	53	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	22	1400	5375
Point Pelee Island	...	...	.....	...	17	1465	36	...	.....	.....	...	.....		21	.....	3650
From Romney to Oxford	...	...	.....	...	18	645	24	...	.....	.....	1	60	100	13	.....	3840
Tyrconnel	...	...	.....	...	1	20	2	.	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	1	....	250
Port Talbot	...	...	.....	...	1	20	2	...	.....	.....	1	35	75	.....	.....	.....
Port Stanley	...	...	.....	...	7	155	12	2	60	60	3	85	140	4	.....	1200
Port Bruce	...	...	.....	...	3	100	6	...	.....	.....	2	80	200	2	.....	500
Port Burwell	...	...	.....	...	1	15	2	...	.....	.....	1	35	75	.....	.....	.....
Houghton	...	...	.....	...	44	290	66	1	40	10	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Port Royal	...	...	.....	...	2	19	6	..	.....	.....	2	48	70	.....	.....	.....
Port Rowan	...	...	.....	...	4	181	13	..	.....	.....	4	160	302	.....	....	.. ..
Turkey Point	...	...	.....	...	5	80	19	...	.....	.....	5	264	530	.....	.....	.....
Normandale	...	...	.....	...	1	10	4	...	.....	.....	1	55	75	.....	.....	.....
Port Dover	...	...	.....	...	4	965	13	...	....	.....	1	40	100	8	545	3390
Nanticoke	...	...	.....	...	3	335	12	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	3	210	1320
Sandusk Creek	...	...	.....	...	1	150	4	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	2	130	560
Hoovers and Miller's Bay	...	...	...	...	2	325	3	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	2	160	1020
Wardell's Bay	...	...	.....	...	2	60	5	3	340	112	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Grand River	...	...	.....	..	7	89	21	...	.....	.....	7	101	310	.....	.....	.....
do (angling)	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Port Maitland	..	...	.....	...	3	65	9	...	.....	.....	3	65	210	.....	.....	.....
Moulton Bay	...	...	.....	...	3	55	10	...	.....	.....	3	130	310	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	.....	...	154	7254	322	6	440	182	34	1158	2497	78	2445	21105

Boats, Nets, &c.—Ontario—*Continued.*

Value, &c.				Kinds and Quantities of Fish.												Total Value.
Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.														
No.	Value.	No.	Value.	Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Course Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption.	
	$		$													$ cts.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	109375	.....	.....	5640	.....	33725	24138	.....	27670	.....	.....	41,805 28
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	95970	.....	.....	1170	.....	.....	.....	.....	60000	167	.....	17,195 60
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23200	.....	.....	1765	.....	19000	99800	.....	20000	702	.....	21,617 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	144 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	64 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	28000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	420	.....	3,920 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	445	.....	2,180 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	60 00
9	36	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5500	200	24000	99	.....	1,936 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	4000	2400	.....	8	.....	416 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....	2400	13000	3000	.....	49	.....	1.345 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	76	.....	4800	34000	4400	.....	85	.....	3,268 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	.....	200	4000	200	.....	10	.....	327 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5400	.....	.....	60	200	3400	24000	600	5400	43	.....	5,605 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8000	.....	.....	200	.....	2400	9000	200	10000	50	.....	3,034 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	.....	122	400	.....	4400	500	.....	14	.....	1,027 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4000	.....	.....	204	.....	2800	5600	.....	6000	74	.....	2,440 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1600	.....	.....	5	.....	200	600	.....	.....	3	.....	213 00
.....	.....	5	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	6600	24200	7400	.....	217	.....	3,110 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	200	3000	1600	4000	1000	10	.....	642 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12	.....	1000	2400	1000	1400	65	.....	644 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1400	.....	.....	28	.....	2400	3200	1400	400	33	.....	810 00
9	36	5	25	.....	283345	.....	.....	9871	1200	82325	258838	25300	155870	2545	.....	111,802 88

Return of the Number and Value of Vessels,

Station.	Vessels and Boats employed Fishing.							Nets, their Number, Size,								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pound Nets.		
	No	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.
Niagara River and Lake Ontario Division.			$			$				$			$			$
Port Colborne	...	...	.....	...	1	10	2	.....	.....	.....	1	20	30	...	.....	.....
Point Albino	...	...	.....	...	3	410	5	.....	.....	.....	1	20	30	3	200	860
Bertie	...	...	.....	...	3	60	8	.....	.....	.....	3	120	300	...	.....	.....
Fort Erie	...	...	.....	...	2	60	4	.....	.....	.....	2	40	180	...	.....	.....
Niagara	...	...	.....	...	8	225	12	6	1230	420	5	320	380	...	.....	.....
Queenston	...	...	.....	...	5	80	7	.....	.....	.....	1	90	450	...	.....	.....
Two Miles Pond	...	...	.....	...	4	165	12	4	940	300	3	180	390	...	.....	.....
Four Miles Pond	...	...	.....	...	9	391	28	8	1754	650	7	404	850	...	.....	.....
Grantham	...	...	.....	...	3	75	5	6	580	225	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Port Dalhousie	...	...	.....	...	1	120	3	5	800	330	1	50	20	...	.....	.....
Sixteen Mile Pond	...	...	.....	...	1	20	3	.....	.....	.....	1	20	50	...	.....	.....
Louth and Twenty Mile Pond	...	...	.....	...	3	310	7	2	140	50	1	40	120	1	50	300
Clinton	...	...	.....	...	3	55	9	2	350	120	2	35	70	...	.....	.....
Grimsby	...	...	.....	...	3	75	5	4	700	230	1	20	50	...	.....	.....
Winona	...	...	.....	...	2	150	3	7	1270	462	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Burlington Beach	...	...	.....	...	21	1005	31	32	3840	1344	12	844	1670	...	.....	.....
Burlington Bay (spearing and angling	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Bronte	...	...	.....	...	5	500	15	19	4170	1370	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Twelve and Sixteen Mile Creeks.	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
River Credit	...	...	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Port Credit	...	...	.....	...	2	30	4	1	80	30	1	40	80	...	.....	.....
Toronto Island	...	...	.....	...	2	150	3	2	1673	285	2	75	150	..	.....	.....
The Humber	...	...	.....	...	1	30	2	8	128	160	1	64	100	...	.....	.....
Port Union	...	...	.....	...	1	40	2	3	480	162	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Frenchman's Bay	...	...	.....	...	4	80	10	8	780	198	2	80	240	...	.....	.....
Whitby	...	...	.....	...	4	50	2	2	45	30	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Bowmanville	...	...	.....	...	4	200	10	2	1200	218	2	.....	175	...	.....	.....
Port Hope	...	...	.....	...	1	10	2	.....	.....	.....	1	.....	25	...	.....	.....
Cobourg	...	...	.....	...	7	500	14	4	2200	392	3	.....	175	...	.....	.....
Colborne	...	...	.....	...	7	460	14	7	2390	436	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....
Brighton	...	...	.....	...	12	670	24	6	4450	804	2	.....	125	...	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	.....	...	122	6031	246	138	28600	8216	55	2462	5610	4	250	1160

Boats, Nets, &c.—Ontario—*Continued.*

Value, &c.				Kinds and Quantities of Fish.													Total Value.
Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.															
No.	Value.	No.	Value.	Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring and Sciscos, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Coarse Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption, lbs.		
	$		$														$ cts.
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	2	.....	200	400	.....	.....	1	.....		50 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	19	.....	200	1800	.....	2600	2	.....		353 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	36	.....	600	6600	.....	.....	48	.....		804 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	200	...	.....	112	.....	.....	31200	.....	.....	8	.....		2,480 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	8600	...	.....	16	.....	600	5600	.....	80800	205	.....		6,000 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	200	...	.....	50	.....	63800	10000	.....	.....	25	.....		5,094 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	19400	...	.....	3	.....	.....	1100	.....	13600	.....	.....		2,313 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	20000	...	.....	5	.....	.....	10400	.....	6800	3	.....		2,601 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	11	.....	.....	1200	.....	.....	16	.....		191 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	400	...	.....	15	.....	600	.....	.....	.....	16	.....		207 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	400	...	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		68 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	800	...	.....	6	.....	5600	.....	6000	.....	18	.....		472 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	400	...	.....	8	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	23	.....		164 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	2000	...	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	11	.....		229 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	5000	...	3000	25	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4	.....		781 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	2600	...	.....	171	.....	.....	.....	8200	.....	27	.....		1,581 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	16000	.....	12000	.....	30	.....		1,680 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	600	...	600	711	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		3,651 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....		160 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	75	.....		300 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	200	...	.....	2	.....	.....	.....	2000	.....	6	.....		150 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	1800	...	6300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		648 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	1000	...	.....	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	60	.....		325 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	600	...	200	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		124 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	4900	...	200	2	.....	.....	.....	5600	.....	10	.....		738 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000	.....	.....	.....		100 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....													
.....	...	.....	.....	.....													
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	...	100000	.....	100000	100000	.....	.....	.....	1250	.....		25,000 00
.....	...	.....	.....	.....													
.....	...	.....	.....	.....													
.....	...	.....	.....	.....	69100	...	110300	1212	100000	193200	68300	35800	103800	1878	.....		56,594 00

RETURN of the Number and Value of Vessels,

STATION.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED FISHING.							NETS, THEIR NUMBER, SIZE,								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pound Nets.		
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.
Prince Edward County and Bay of Quinté Division.			$			$				$			$			$
Weller's Bay and Consecon Lake	...	...	.....	...	7	4000	20	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Weller's Beach to Spencer's Point	...	...	.....	...	10	230	20	.....	2500	1000	3	600	600	...	.....	...
East and West Lakes	...	...	.....	...	6	150	10	...	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Wellington Beach and North Bay	...	...	.....	...	5	150	25	.....	3000	1200	5	700	700	...	.....	...
Long Point, Timber Island, False Ducks and Main Ducks	...	...	.....	...	24	500	45	.....	6000	2400	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Indian Point, Smith's Bay and Bay of Quinté	...	...	.....	...	25	500	50	.....	600	2400	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Sophiasburg	...	...	.....	...	4	195	21	.....	.....	.....	3	180	380	...	.....	...
Big Bay	...	...	.....	...	5	210	20	5	320	280	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Ameliasburg and Zwick Island	...	...	.....	...	8	360	36	4	240	600	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Point Ann	...	...	.....	...	2	100	12	.....	.....	.....	2	120	300	...	.....	...
Tyendinaga	...	...	.....	...	9	375	54	.....	.....	.....	9	540	950	...	.....	...
Saugeen Island	...	...	.....	...	3	350	10	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	...	.....	...
Totals	...	...	.....	...	108	7120	323	9	12660	7880	22	2140	2930	...	.....	...
Lennox and Addington Counties Division.																
Napanee River and Amherst Island	...	...	.....	...	38	611	60	352	7040	884	5	29	92	...	.....	...

Boats, Nets, &c.—Ontario—*Continued.*

Value, &c.				Kinds, Quantities and Prices of Fish.												Total Value.
Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.		Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Coarse Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption, lbs.	
No.	Value.	No.	Value.													
	$		$													$ cts.
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	10000	.....	10000	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	325	.....	3,150 00
20	120	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,200 00
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25000	.....	.....	125	.....	2,000 00
30	180	.....	.....	.....	15000	.....	20000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,800 00
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	111400	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	9,712 00
12	72	.....	.....	.....	25000	.....	50000	.....	.....	4600	1000	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,336 00
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	14600	.....	.....	100	.....	2800	3800	3600	1800	28	67200	2,446 00
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	5000	.....	.....	110	200	1800	2200	1400	.....	15	70000	1,332 00
17	99	.....	.....	.....	12400	.....	.....	63	1800	3200	4600	3400	.....	30	64000	2,173 00
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	4200	.....	.....	73	200	4000	5100	4200	.....	53	32600	1,699 00
...	.....	.....	.....	.....	25400	.....	.....	214	.....	15800	22400	28000	.....	181	99000	7,518 00
17	195	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	25	1400	100 00
96	666	.....	.....	.....	223000	.....	120000	610	2200	32200	64400	40600	1800	982	.....	42,466 00
18	390	.....	.....	.....	14934	.....	332	.....	30	74	2220	33600	.....	1160	.....	7,680 72

Return of the Number and Value of Vessels,

Station.	Vessels and Boats employed Fishing.							Nets, their Number, Size,								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pound Nets.		
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.
Wolfe Island and Kingston Division.			$			$				$			$			$
Pigeon Island	...	...	...	.....	2	150	6	75	750	300	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Reed's Bay	...	...	...	.....	2	100	4	33	333	132	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Big Sandy Bay	...	...	...	.....	3	80	6	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....
Button Bay	...	...	...	...	1	40	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Howe Island	...	...	...	.....	2	20	2	.....	100	20	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Pittsburg	...	...	...	.....	3	45	3	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Thousand Island	...	...	...	.....	2	50	4	16	150	64	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....
Gananoque	..	...	...	.....	3	70	3	.....	400	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Inland Waters	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	..	.....	18	555	30	124	1733	616	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Frontenac Division.																
Hinchinbrooke	...	...	...	.....	9	74	18	13	258	130	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Bedford	...	...	...	.....	14	114	28	14	277	150	.....	.....	....	. ...	.....	.....
Portland	...	...	...	.....	2	17	4	2	40	22	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.. ...
Palmerston	...	...	...	.....	5	38	10	7	149	88	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Loughborough	...	...	...	.....	23	207	46	28	589	298	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	...	.....	53	450	106	64	1313	688	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rideau Division.																
Lower Rideau Lakes	...	...	...	.....	21	249	35	22	600	137	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Upper do	...	...	...	.....	31	280	62	38	1310	159	. ....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Smith's Falls	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Edmund's Rapids	...	...	...	.....	2	12	2	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Kilmarnock	...	...	...	.....	2	12	1	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	. ....
Merrickville	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Burritt's Rapids	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Long Reach	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Black Rapids	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Totals	...	...	...	.....	56	553	100	50	1910	296	.....	.....	... ..	.....	.....	.....

Boats, Nets, &c.—Ontario—*Continued.*

Value, &c.				Kinds and Quantities of Fish.													Total Value.
Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.															
No.	Value.	No.	Value.	Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Coarse Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption, lbs.	
	$		$														$ cts.
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	20000	.....	.....	1000	.....	1200	.....	.....	.....		1,780 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3200	.....	5400	200	.....	.....		526 00
12	192	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	56	.....		224 00
8	128	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	40	.....		160 00
5	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	.....	.....	40	.....		200 00
12	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	29	.....		116 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2200	4200	2800	.....	.....	.....		510 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8400	.....	.....	33	.....		552 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	270	.....		1,080 00
37	600	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	20000	.....	.....	6400	13400	9400	200	468	.....		5,148 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	900	83	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		535 00
3	34	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1400	51	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15	.....		427 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....		40 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2200	19	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		271 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4900	151	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		1,147 00
3	34	.....	.....	.....	600	.....	9400	307	.....	.....	500	.....	.....	15	.....		2,420 00
34	785	.....	.....	.....	4600	.....	2800	.....	.....	450	3050	200	.....	142	.....		1,351 50
28	600	.....	.....	.....	6400	.....	600	74	.....	1000	5600	200	.....	186	.....		2,026 01
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	600	.....	.....	4	.....		70 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2000	3000	800	.....	39	.....		474 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	1400	600	.....	12	.....		202 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	600	1000	.....	.....	8	.....		118 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000	800	600	.....	15	.....		196 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1000	1600	2400	800	.....	10	.....		364 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1200	800	600	.....	8	.....		180 00
62	1385	.....	....	.....	11000	.....	3400	74	1000	9050	18650	3800	.....	424	.....		4,981 50

RETURN of the Number and Value of Vessels,

STATION.	VESSELS AND BOATS EMPLOYED FISHING.							NETS, THEIR NUMBER, SIZE,								
	Vessels.				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pound Nets.		
	No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.
			$			$				$			$			$
Prescott and Cornwall Divisions.	...	...	...	...	51	810	53	.....	.....	.....	1	10	60	.....	.....	.....
Carleton and Russell Counties Divisions	...	...	...	...	3	75	6	6	150	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Muskoka Division.																
Muskoka, Rousseau, Joseph, Trading, Three Miles and Clear Lakes	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	54	8000	1080	(*Sixty special permits for*					
Lake Simcoe Division.																
Orillia	...	...	...	...	3	50	3	3	1000	80	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Allandale	...	...	...	...	2	150	4	3	1500	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hankestone	...	...	...	...	1	30	1	1	500	50	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Barrie	...	...	...	...	2	70	4	2	600	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	....	.....
Beaverton	...	...	...	...	3	55	4	2	1000	82	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Starvation Island	...	...	...	...	2	30	2	2	700	70	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Simcoe and Couchiching Lakes, with special permits	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Inland Waters, Co. Simcoe	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....		.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total	...	...	...	...	13	385	18	13	5300	552	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rice Lake and Trent River Divisions	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	(515 *Special permits for angling were*							
Peterboro' and Victoria Counties Divisions	...	...	...	...	23	455	23	12	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Charleston and Gananoque Lakes Divisions	...	...	...	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mississippi River and Lake Divisions	...	...	...		6	60	8	1	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Madawaska and Bonnechère Rivers and Lakes, in the Counties of Lanark and Renfrew	...	...	...	...	28	128	56	46	182	213	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....

Boats, Nets, &c.—Ontario—*Continued.*

Value, &c.				Kinds and Quantities of Fish.													
Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.															
No.	Value.	No.	Value.	Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Coarse Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption, lbs.	Total Value.
	$		$													$ cts.
4	32	... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2200	5500	4800	5300	50000	312	.....	4,763 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	500 00
angling were issued.)				.....	23000	.....	4600	90	.....	14000	16000	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,458 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	400	.....	1600	50	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	....	.....	422 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20000	.....	10000	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,450 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	200	.....	2800	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	236 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	18000	.....	12000	12	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,460 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	9000	.....	3600	.....	.....	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,020 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10000	.....	18500	.....	.....	4000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,520 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	800	.....	2000	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	224 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10000	.....	6000	10000	.....	20000	2000	.....	.....	2,860 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	58400	.....	60300	72	6000	14600	.....	20000	2000	.....	.....	12,192 00
issued.)	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	102000	43200	68800	.....	.....	100	.....	13,240 00
.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8000	.....	25000	180	153400	109200	.....	.....	.....	305	... ..	19,316 00
5	40	.....	.....	.....	.....	... ..	2000	.....	.....	4000	.....	1000	.....	110	.....	890 00
1	25	1	10	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5000	400	33000	... .	106	.....	2,398 00
.....	.....	... ...	.....	.....	4200	.....	14400	.....	9000	6200	8400	21900	2800	157	.....	4,767 00

Recapitulation of the Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c., together with the Yield and Value of Fish, in the Province of Ontario, for the Year 1882.

No.	Station.	Vessels and Boats employed Fishing.							Nets, their Number, Size, Value, &c.											
		Vessels.				Boats.			Gill Nets.			Seines.			Pounds Nets.			Hoop Nets.		Scoop Nets.	
		No.	Tonnage.	Value.	Men.	No.	Value.	Men.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Rods.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
				$			$				$			$			$		$		$
		Tug																			
1	Lake Superior Division	2	53	1800	6	92	7040	177	500	27116	16376	.....	.....	.....	2	.....	500	.....	.....	.....	.....
2	Manitoulin Island Division	4	92	13500	25	37	3100	95	1200	28800	11000	.....	.....	.....	15	420	7200	.....	.....	.....	.....
3	Georgian Bay	8	248	16100	28	114	10580	235	1017	78358	33460	1	175	.....	4	2000	.....	2	40	.....	.....
4	Lake Huron	.....	.....	.....	...	66	6047	375	967	17718	8148	47	1468	4600	1	1900	390	.....	.....	.....	.....
5	Lake St. Clair and Thames River	.....	.....	.....	...	39	639	219	.....	.....	.....	42	1008	3545	.....	.....	.....	8	24	9	16
6	Detroit River	.....	.....	.....	...	18	226	92	.....	.....	.....	22	64	2600	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
7	Lake Erie	.....	.....	.....	...	154	7254	322	6	440	182	34	1158	2497	78	2445	21105	9	36	5	25
8	Niagara River and Lake Ontario	.....	.....	.....	...	122	6031	246	138	28600	8216	55	2462	5610	4	250	1160	.....	.....	.....	.....
9	Prince Edward County and Bay of Quinté	.....	.....	.....	...	108	7120	323	9	12660	7880	22	2140	2030	.....	.....	.....	96	666	.....	.....
10	Lennox and Addington	.....	.....	.....	...	38	611	60	352	7040	884	5	29	92	.....	.....	.....	18	390	.....	.....
11	Wolfe Island and Kingston	.....	.....	.....	...	18	555	30	124	1733	616	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	37	600	.....	.....
12	Frontenac	.....	.....	.....	...	53	450	106	64	1313	688	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3	34	.....	.....
13	Rideau	.....	.....	.....	...	56	553	100	50	1910	296	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	62	1385	.....	.....
14	Prescott and Cornwall	.....	.....	.....	...	54	810	53	.....	.....	.....	1	10	60	.....	.....	.....	4	32	.....	.....
15	Carleton and Russell	.....	.....	.....	...	3	75	6	6	150	200	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
16	Muskoka	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	54	8000	1080	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
17	Lake Simcoe	.....	.....	.....	...	13	385	18	13	5300	552	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
18	Rice Lake and Trent River	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
19	Peterborough and Victoria Counties	.....	.....	.....	...	23	455	23	12	100	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
20	Charleston and Gananoque Lakes	.....	.....	.....	...	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5	40	.....	.....
21	Mississippi River and Lake	.....	.....	.....	...	6	60	8	1	.....	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1	25	1	10
22	Madawaska and Bonnechere Rivers and Lakes in the Counties Lanark and Renfrew	.....	.....	.....	...	28	128	56	46	182	213	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
	Totals	14	393	31400	59	639	52119	2544	4559	219420	89896	229	8514	21934	104	7015	30355	245	3272	15	51

RECAPITULATION of the Number and Value of Vessels, Boats, Nets, &c.—Ontario—*Concluded.*

No.	Station.	Kinds and Quantities of Fish.												Total Value.
		Whitefish, brls.	Whitefish, lbs.	Trout, brls.	Trout, lbs.	Herring, brls.	Maskinongé, lbs.	Bass, lbs.	Pickerel, lbs.	Pike, lbs.	Sturgeon, lbs.	Coarse Fish, brls.	Fish used for local consumption, lbs.	
														$ cts.
1	Lake Superior Division	1448	123972	1698	107700	.....	.....	.....	40000	.....	.....	.....	63700	56,215 76
2	Manitoulin Island Division	.....	322435	.....	648630	.....	.....	.....	529466	.....	50000	.....	.....	111,953 16
														Brls.
3	Georgian Bay	744	1367250	1575	278000	85	.....	200	47600	12600	.....	262	620	162,261 00
4	Lake Huron	.....	836500	.....	705200	4395	.....	14000	285050	200	64700	.....	.....	166,499 00
5	Lake St. Clair and Thames River	.....	16600	.....	29600	291	400	85400	141400	112200	600	1568	.....	25,695 00
6	Detroit River	.....	75000	.....	.....	104	600	.....	18000	200	14200	215	.....	9,216 00
7	Lake Erie	.....	283345	.....	.....	9871	1200	82325	258838	25300	155870	2545	.....	111,802 88
8	Niagara River and Lake Ontario	.....	69100	.....	110300	1212	100000	193200	68300	35800	103800	1878	.....	56,524 00
9	Prince Edward County and Bay of Quinté	.....	223000	.....	120000	610	2200	32200	64400	40600	1800	982	.....	42,466 00
10	Lennox and Addington	.....	14934	.....	332	.....	30	74	2220	33600	.....	1160	.....	7,680 72
11	Wolfe Island and Kingston	.....	600	.....	20000	.....	.....	6400	9400	13400	200	468	.....	5,148 00
12	Frontenac	.....	600	.....	9400	307	.....	.....	.....	500	.....	15	.....	2,420 00
13	Rideau	.....	11000	.....	3400	74	1000	9050	3800	18650	.....	424	.....	4,981 50
14	Prescott and Cornwall	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2200	5500	4800	5300	50000	312	.....	4,763 00
15	Carleton and Russell	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	125	.....	500 00
16	Muskoka	.....	23000	.....	4600	90	.....	14000	16000	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,458 00
17	Lake Simcoe	.....	58400	.....	60300	72	6000	14600	.....	20000	2000	.....	.....	12,192 00
18	Rice Lake and Trent River	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10200	43200	68800	.....	.....	100	.....	13,240 00
19	Peterborough and Victoria Counties	.....	8000	.....	25000	180	133400	109200	.....	.....	.....	305	.....	19,316 00
20	Charleston and Gananoque Lakes	.....	.....	.....	2000	.....	.....	4000	.....	1000	.....	110	.....	890 00
21	Mississippi River and Lake	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5000	400	33300	.....	106	.....	2,398 00
22	Madawaska and Bonnechere Rivers and Lakes in the Counties Lanark and Renfrew	.....	4200	.....	14400	.....	9000	6200	8400	21900	2800	157	.....	4,767 00
	Totals	2192	3437936	3273	2138862	17291	358030	624549	1566874	274250	445970	10732	187700	825,457 02

RECAPITULATION

Of the Yield and Value of the Fisheries in the Province of Ontario, during the Year 1882.

Kinds of Fish.		Quantity.	Price.	Value.
			$ cts.	$ cts.
Whitefish	Brls.	2,192	10 00	21,920 00
do	Lbs.	3,437,936	0 08	275,034 88
Trout	Brls.	3,273	10 00	32,730 00
do	Lbs.	2,138,862	0 08	171,108 96
Herring and Sciscos	Brls.	17,291	5 00	86,455 00
Maskinongé	Lbs.	358,030	0 06	21,481 80
Bass	do	624,549	0 06	37,472 94
Pickerel	do	1,566,874	0 06	94,012 44
Pike	do	274,250	0 05	13,712 50
Sturgeon	do	445,970	0 05	22,298 50
Coarse and Mixed Fish	Brls.	10,732	4 00	42,928 00
Mixed Fish for home consumption in Lake Superior and Georgian Bay Divisions				6,302 00
Total Value for 1882				$825,457 02
do 1881				509,903 00
Increase				$315,554 02

SYNOPSES OF FISHERY OVERSEERS' REPORTS IN THE PROVINCE OF ONTARIO, FOR THE YEAR 1882.

LAKE SUPERIOR DIVISION.

JAMES DICKSON, } *Overseers.*
JOSEPH WILSON, }

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
Whitefish.....Brls.	220	1,372	859	1,448
do fresh.....Lbs.	41,800	80,400	359,144	123,972
do do .....No.	5,400	.....	.....	.....
Trout.....Brls.	943	1,564	988	1,698
do .....Lbs.	.....	.....	.....	lbs. 107,700
Pickerel.....Brls.	.....	159	55	" 40,000
Fish used for local consumption..... "	320	426	135	" 63,700
Total in barrels.....	1,746	3,923	3,832	lbs. 964,572
Value..... $	15,540	35,879	25,116	56,215.76

Overseer Dickson reports a slight increase on the catch of fish in his division, although four stations were left unfished and two others were only partly fished. Most of the fish in this division is sold fresh at remunerative prices on United States markets. Pickled fish sold higher than ever before. Pickerel fishing was very good in Thunder and Black Bays, the inclemency of the weather alone compelling fisher men to raise their nets. No breach of the law came under this officer's notice.

Overseer Wilson reports that owing to the increasing demand for fish in Canadian and American markets, fishermen are better remunerated that ever before. There does not seem to be any noticeable falling off in the quantity or quality. Mr. Wilson states that he has reason to believe that the close season, during which he visited all fishing grounds between Sault Ste. Marie and Aird Island, was better observed than ever. Speckled trout are decreasing in St. Mary's River. This, the Overseer attributes to the destruction of small fish during the summer months on their spawning grounds. Forty-two angling permits were issued to foreigners in the Nepigon River, realizing $130. Speckled trout were as numerous as ever on this beautiful stream. The largest trout weighing 5½ lbs. A trout weighing 4 lbs. was found choked up with a small herring.

MANITOULIN ISLAND DIVISION.

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
				Lbs.
Whitefish ..... Brls.	250	241	125	.....
do ..... No.	.....	190,000	.....	.....
do ..... Lbs.	389,600	11,700	743,423	322,435
Trout..... Brls.	330	3,352	2,000	648,630
Pickerel..... "	.....	.....	150	529,466
Fish used for local consumption ..... "	780	330	.....	.....
Sturgeon..... Lbs.	.....	.....	.....	50,000
Total in barrels.....	3,308	4,990	5,992	lbs. 1,550,531
Value..... $	28,400	47,920	30,085	111,953 16

Mr. Donald Cameron was appointed Fishery Overseer for Manitoulin and neighbouring Islands in place of Mr. G. B. Abrey resigned. He reports an increase in the yield and value of the fisheries of his division, especially at the Ducks and Cockburn Islands. Fish from this division are sold fresh, packed in ice and shipped to United States markets.

GEORGIAN BAY DIVISION.

JAMES PATTON, *Overseer*, Collingwood to Killarney.
SAMUEL FRAZER, *Overseer*, Point Cockburn to Moose Deer Point.
GEO. S. MILLER, *Guardian*, Cape Hurd to Cape Rich.

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries of this Division.

Kinds of Fish.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
Whitefish..... Brls.	551	1,527	1,435	744
do fresh..... Lbs.	.....	.....	.....	1,367,250
do ..... No.	157,500	486,700	561,550	.....
Trout..... Brls.	713	1,657	1,826	1,575
do ..... Lbs.	.....	.....	.....	278,000
Herring..... Brls.	177	63	156	85
Bass..... Lbs.	.....	.....	.....	200
Pike..... Brls.	98	.....	67	lbs. 12,600
Pickerel..... "	30	52	127	" 47,600
Coarse Fish..... "	22	108	35	262
Fish used for local consumption..... "	1,123	785	1,000	620
Total in barrels	4,289	9,059	10,261½	lbs. 2,362,850
Value ..... $	34,318	84,594	76,581	162,261 00

Overseer Patton reports the season's catch as good. During the past three years fresh fish have increased in price 100 per cent. and salt fish 50 per cent. The pound nets set in this division met with very indifferent success; the owners, nevertheless, intend to give this mode of fishing another trial next season. The fishery laws appear to have been well observed. No illegal fishing came under the overseer's notice, except a few poor Indians who were fishing to provide food for their families.

LAKE HURON DIVISION.

James Muir,	*Overseer,*	Cape Hurd to Point Clark.
Hugh McFayden,	do	Saugeen River.
A. C. McKinnon,	do	Point Clark to Kettle Point.
David McMaster,	do	Kettle Point to Baby's Point.

Comparative Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries of this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
					Lbs.
Whitefish	Lbs.	726,600	762,800	907,000	836,500
Trout	Brls.	1,920	2,345	2,154	705,200
Herring	"	5,159	916	5,999	brls. 4,395
Bass	"	53	38	49	14,000
Pike	"	9	.....	1	200
Pickerel	"	528	113	698	285,050
Sturgeon	"	240	25	688	64,700
Coarse Fish	"	23	.....	.....	.....
Fish used for local consumption	"	1,870	3,134	350	.....
Total in barrels		13,435	10,385	14,474	lbs2,784,650
Value	$	87,888	78,670	81,075	166,499

Overseer Muir reports the season's fishing as satisfactory; it opened early, prices were remunerative, and the demand exceeded the supply. Fall herring fishing was better than for years before. Mill owners have generally complied with the law in regard to sawdust.

Overseer McFayden reports trout as abundant and of good quality in Saugeen River, over 60,000 lbs. having been caught. He seized one net for being illegally set, but could not discover the owner. The practice of throwing mill rubbish is decreasing, only one party being fined for violation of the law.

Overseer McKinnon reports that the fisheries of his division show an increase over the previous year; this he attributes to the fact that fishermen better understand the importance of complying with the fishery laws and regulations. The fishway on Hart & Co.'s mill-dam, was maintained in good order during the whole season. The various close seasons were well observed.

Overseer McMaster reports an increase in the yield of pickerel and sturgeon, and a slight falling off in herring. Fishermen now enjoy greater facilities of marketing their fish than heretofore. Sturgeon was sold on the spot at double the price of previous years; a large quantity of pickled herring were also bought for the United States markets at remunerative prices.

LAKE ST. CLAIR AND THAMES RIVER DIVISION.

C. W. Raymond,
J. B. Moody,
P. McCarron,
Peter McCann, } *Overseers.*
Angus Brady,
T. McQueen,
A. Quenneville,

Coparative Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Divivsion.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
					Lbs.
Whitefish	Brls.	200	43	.....	.....
do	Lbs.	.....	8,800	24,400	16,600
Trout	Brls.	110	35	175	29,600
Herring	"	288	350	300	brls. 291
Maskinongé	"	4	.....	.....	400
Bass	"	310	167	344	85,400
Pike	"	113	38	64	12,200
Pickerel	"	621	571	512	141,400
Sturgeon	"	.....	.....	.....	600
Coarse Fish	"	836	699	818	1,568
Fish used for local consumption	"	366	392	211	.....
Total in barrels		2,848	2,339	2,546	lbs. 657,000
Value	$	14,300	10,864	20,640	25,695

The catch of whitefish in this division, although double that of 1880, falls below that of 1881. Bass and pickerel show a large increase both in yield and value.

Overseer McCann states that pickerel fishing was almost a failure at Cashmere mill-dam; complaints were lodged against two parties for depositing nuisance in the river, one of them was convicted and fined. Most of the fishways are in good order, except two which are being built.

Overseer Brady reports an increase in the catch of fish over that of last year. Close seasons were well observed. A complaint was made that a net was stretched across the river to prevent the ascent of fish; investigation, however, failed to sustain the allegation.

Overseer McQueen also reports an increase in the quantity and value of the fisheries of his district. This he attributes to a mild winter and a favorable current on the river. Most of the fish are disposed of in the vicinity, although some are shipped to Detroit, where they sell at remunerative prices. The close season was well observed, no violations of the law being reported. The fishermen are law-abiding and fully realize the importance of honestly complying with legislative enactments made for their own benefit.

DETROIT RIVER DIVISION.

ED. BOISMIER, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
Whitefish	No.	77,700	103,500	90,000	Lbs. 75,000
Herring	Brls.	301	406	531	Brls. 104
Maskinongé	"	8	14	4	Lbs. 600
Bass	"	16	9	26	.....
Pike	"	13	35	40	" 200
Pickerel	"	143	175	106	" 18,000
Sturgeon	"	460	381	316	" 14,200
Coarse Fish	"	157	235	236	Brls. 215
Fish used for local consumption	"	174	470	.....	.....
Total in barrels		1,992	2,760	2,209	Lbs 171,800
Value	$	13,270	17,864	23,015	9,216

The above statement shows a large falling off in the catch of whitefish in Detroit River; the reason being that the fish were late in making their appearance. The setting of pound nets earlier than usual in the neighborhood of Point Pelee may also have retarded their entrance in the river. Pickerel and Sturgeon were plentiful.

POINT PELÉE DIVISION.

WILLIAM PROSSER, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
					Lbs.
Whitefish	Brls.	200	.....	.....	.....
do	Lbs.	62,800	77,000	137,000	109,375
Herring	Brls.	880	1,772	6,690	brls. 5,640
Bass	"	241	269	300	33,725
Pickerel	"	169	225	247	24,138
Sturgeon	"	174	218	180	27,670
Coarse Fish	"	44	.....	45	.....
Fish used for local consumption	"	100	574	.....	.....
Total in barrels		2,124	3,443	8,147	lbs. 1,322,908
Value	$	12,166	16,794	41,845	41,805 28

PELÉE ISLAND.

JAMES CUMMINS, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
Whitefish	Lbs.	70,000	84,400	115,224	95,970
Herring	Brls.	200	1,772	557	1,170
Maskinongé	"	20	.....	.....	.....
Bass	"	80	.....	.....	.....
Pike	"	.....	.....	55	.....
Sturgeon	"	75	170	208	lbs. 60,000
Coarse Fish	"	70	64	.....	167
Fish used for local consumption	"	100	311	.....	.....
Total in barrels		895	1,869	1,396	lbs. 423,370
Value	$	5,855	10,178	8,289	17,195 60

LAKE ERIE DIVISION.

JOHN MCMICHAEL, Overseer, Lake Erie frontage, Co. Kent.
ALEX. MCBRIDE, do do Co. Elgin.
DAVID SHARP, do do Co. Norfolk.
W. A. MCCRAE, do do Co. Haldimand.
W. P. CROOME, do do Grand River and tributaries from Brantford upwards.

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
					Lbs.
Whitefish	Brls.	29	113	251	.....
do	Lbs.	22,400	21,600	7,700	78,000
Herring	Brls.	1,677	1,596	1,862	brls. 3,061
Maskinongé	"	9	10	30	1,200
Bass	"	115	78	208	48,600
Pike	"	61	95	200½	25,300
Pickerel	"	393	493	553	234,700
Sturgeon	"	459	1,455	422½	68,200
Coarse Fish	"	1,119	185	1,099½	brls. 2,378
Fish used for local consumption	"	245	774	18	.....
Total in barrels		4,228	5,312	4,683	lbs. 1,543,800
Value	$	18,949	23,035	27,129	52,802 00

The above statement shows a decrease in the catch of whitefish in some parts of this district. This is attributed to local causes and excessive fishing in some localities. Prices have greatly advanced and the total value is nearly double.

Mr. David Sharp, of Port Ryerse, was appointed Fishery Overseer for Norfolk County, in the place of Mr. C. L. Bingham, whose services were dispensed with.

NIAGARA RIVER AND LAKE ONTARIO DIVISIONS.

J. W. Kerr,
Chas. Gilchrist,
Andrew Hughson,
W. Hull,
} *Overseers.*

Comparative Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in these Divisions.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
Whitefish	Brls.	859	945	1,157	.....
"	Lbs.	100,000	125,200	50,000	69,100
"	No.	.....	100	.....	.....
Trout	Brls.	825	416	838½	Lbs. 110,300
Herring	"	600	541	603	Brls. 1,212
Sciscos	"	650	378	577	
Maskinongé	"	636	25	509	Lbs. 100,000
Pike and Bass	"	1,003	424	1,056½	" 229,000
Pickerel	"	494	453	878	" 68,300
Sturgeon	"	.....	.....	146	" 103,800
Coarse Fish	"	1,175	938	1,430	Brls. 1,878
Fish used for local consumption		554	950	459	.....
Total in barrels		7,296	5,737	7,904	Lbs. 1,298,500
Value	$	44,421	35,818	68,121	56,594

The above statement shows a decrease both in the quantity and value of fish in this division, especially in whitefish and salmon trout.

Overseer Kerr remarks, that a mild and open winter, such as that of 1882, is almost invariably followed by poor fishing. The muddy water flowing from the new Welland Canal may also have contributed to keep the whitefish from its usual feeding places in clear water. However, the failure in salmon trout and whitefish fisheries was fully compensated by the large quantity of sturgeon caught in the early part of the season. A large number of nets were destroyed during a severe storm which prevailed at the height of the fishing season. Trolling for bass and pike, and angling in Burlington Bay, were excellent; herring and sciscos were plentiful at Bronte, where a profitable business is carried on by the Messrs. Joyce Bros.

PRINCE EDWARD AND BAY OF QUINTÉ DIVISIONS.

CHARLES WILKINS, JOS. REDMOND, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in these Divisions.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1880.	1882.
Whitefish	Brls.	355	199	715	.....
"	Lbs.	368,200	375,600	215,000	223,000
Trout	Brls.	1,226	679	950	Lbs 120,000
Herring	"	431	250	637	Brls. 610
Maskinongé	"	5	3	.....	Lbs. 2,200
Bass	"	77	103	180	" 32,200
Pike	"	94	109	373	" 40,600
Pickerel	"	118	169	218	" 64,400
Sturgeon	"	3	.....	.....	" 1,800
Coarse Fish	"	3,499	3,643	686	982
Fish used for local consumption	"	682	515	1,880	.....
Total in barrels		8,331	7,548	6,714	Lbs 802,600
Value	$	54,153	47,112	60,520	42,466

Overseer Redmond reports a falling off in the yield of his division, which he attributes to to the destruction of gravid fish after the close season, when whitefish and salmon trout have not yet done spawning.

Overseer Wilkins reports a slight increase in the yield of his division. The black bass caught in the Bay of Quinté is of a superior quality, and ranks as first grade in commercial value. Mr. Wilkins has noticed that the spawning season varies according to changes of temperature. Whitefish spawned later this year than the season before. Large quantities of coarse fish were caught through the ice.

LENNOX AND ADDINGTON DIVISION.

A. D. SILLS, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
Whitefish	Brls.	202	.....	.....	.....
"	Lbs.	4,800	.....	.....	14,934
"	No.	300	34,600	25,700	.....
Trout	Brls.	.....	.....	1½	Lbs. 322
Maskinongé	"	.....	.....	.....	" 30
Bass	"	.....	.....	.....	" 74
Pike	"	7	12	2	" 33,600
Pickerel	"	53	47	121½	" 2,230
Sturgeon	"	.....	40	.....	.....
Coarse Fish	"	45	57	124	1,160
Fish used for local consumption	"	33	60	.....	.....
Total in barrels		367	612	506½	Lbs 347,258
Value	$	2,902	4,923	4,459	7,680.72

WOLFE ISLAND AND KINGSTON DIVISIONS.

P. KIEL,
JOHN COX,
THOS. MERRITT, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in these Divisions.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
Whitefish	Brls.	149	9	27	.....
do	Lbs.	.....	.....	.....	600
Trout	Brls.	141	116	118	Lbs. 20,000
Herring	do	.....	68	.....	.....
Pike and Bass	do	222	59	171	Lbs. 19,800
Pickerel	do	190	28	64	" 9,400
Sturgeon	do	3	21	.....	" 200
Coarse Fish	do	442	565	555	Brls. 468
Fish used for local consumption	do	74	62	.....	.....
Total in barrels		1,221	928	935	Lbs 143,000
Value	$	7,039	4,570	4,662	5,148

Overseer Kiel reports fishing good, when compared with the number of men engaged in it. The great demand for labor and the high wages offered, induced many fishermen to seek other occupations.

FRONTENAC DIVISION.

JOHN A. CAMERON, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.	
Whitefish	Brls.	2	Lbs.	600
Trout	do	13	"	9,400
Herring	do	125		307
Sciscos	do	3		
Pike	do		Lbs.	500
Coarse Fish	do	37		15
Total in barrels		178	Lbs.	74,900
Value	$	1,159		2,420

Overseer J. A. Cameron reports that fish, in general, appear to be on the increase. This he considers due to the fact that American poachers have been prevented from further depleting our waters. This officer seized one boat with spears and jack, and fined the owner. This had a salutary effect on others. With this single exception, the law was well observed.

RIDEAU DIVISION.

GEORGE JEAGLE,
A. E. MILLS, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1881.	1882.	
Whitefish	Brls.	44½	Lbs.	11,000
Trout	do	34	"	3,400
Herring	do	56	Brls.	74
Maskinongé	do	4	Lbs.	1,000
Bass	do	45	"	9,050
Pike	do	60	"	18,650
Pickerel	do	25	"	3,800
Coarse Fish	do	292	Brls.	424
Total in barrels		560½	Lbs.	146,500
Value	$	3,710		4,981 50

Owing to the scarcity of hands, farmers had to work steadily on their farms and did not fish as much as usual. Hardly any other but coarse fish are caught in this division. Overseer Mills, of Smith's Falls, prosecuted several parties for spearing at Edmund Rapids, and fined them $5 each. Illegal fishing was also reported at Long Reach, but the officer could not apprehend the offenders.

PRESCOTT AND CORNWALL DIVISION.

JOHN MOONEY, T. MCGARRITY, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1880.	1881.	1882.
Eels	Lbs.	.....	2,650	.....
Maskinongé	Brls.	10	10	Lbs. 2,200
Bass	"	20	30	" 5,500
Pike	"	20	25	" 5,300
Pickerel	"	25	25	" 4,800
Sturgeon	"	.....	240	" 50,000
Coarse Fish	"	345	308	Brls. 312
Fish used for local consumption	"	60	.....	.....
Total in barrels		480	651	Lbs. 130,200
Value	$	1,995	2,893	4,763

CARLETON AND RUSSELL COUNTIES DIVISION.

WILLIAM BOUCHER, OLIVIER MIRON, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1880.	1881.	1882.
Coarse Fish	Brls.	.....	100	125
Fish used for local consumption	"	90	.....	.....
Total in barrels		90	100	125
Value	$	360	400	500

MUSKOKA DIVISION.

WM. E. FOOT, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	
Whitefish	Brls.	.....	.....	119	.....	
"	Lbs.	3,200	2,600	.....	Lbs.	23,000
Trout	Brls.	60	34	23	"	4,600
Herring	"	72	74	83	Brls.	90
Bass	"	8	5	70	Lbs.	1,400
Pickerel	"	5	7	81	"	1,600
Fish used for home consumption.	"	20	10	.....	.....	
Total in barrels.		181	143	376	Lbs.	48,600
Value	$	1,193	866	2,811		4,458

Overseer Foot has no complaints to make respecting the compliance of the Statute *re* sawdust by mill owners, except in one instance when he was stopped by logs boomed across the river. He summoned the owner of the mill; but the magistrate dismissed the case with costs. Mr. Foot issued fifty-four gill net licenses and sixty angling permits—comprising the waters of fourteen different lakes.

LAKE SIMCOE DIVISION.

L. S. SAUNDERS,
WM. HASTINGS,
W. MCDERMOT, } *Overseers.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.	
						Lbs.
Whitefish	Brls.	.....	.....	312		58,400
do	No.	6,000	2,300	.....	.....	
Trout	Brls.	57	66	304		60,300
Herring	Brls.	45	90	66	Brls.	72
Maskinongé	"	.....	.....	30		6,000
Bass and Pike	"	4	.....	173		34,600
Sturgeon	"	.....	.....	10		2,000
Fish used for local consumption	"	22	29	.....	.....	
Total in barrels		158	208	895	Lbs	175,700
Value	$	1,108	1,366	7,831		12,192

RICE LAKE AND TROUT RIVER DIVISION.

CHARLES GILCHRIST, *Overseer.*

COMPARATIVE Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
				Lbs.
Maskinongé.....Brls.	500	750	717	102,000
Bass..... "	800	300	286	43,200
Pickerel ..... "	.....	350	344	68,800
Coarse Fish..... "	.....	100	95	Brls. 100
Fish used for local consumption..... "	.....	70	.....	.....
Total in barrels.....	1,300	1,500	1,442	Lbs 234,000
Value..... $	6,740	7,680	9,341	13,240

Five hundred and fifteen angling permits were issued last season in this division, twenty-four of which being to foreigners, realized the amount of $60. No violations of the fishery law came under the Overseer's notice.

PETERBOROUGH AND VICTORIA DIVISIONS.

GEORGE COCHRANE,
J. R. GRAHAM,
JOHN DAUNCEY,
} *Overseers.*

STATEMENT of the yield and value of the Fisheries in these Divisions.

Kinds of Fish.	1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
				Lbs.
Whitefish..... Lbs.	.....	.....	.....	8,000
Trout.....Brls.	85	54	88	25,000
Herring..... "	30	38	45	brls. 180
Maskinongé..... "	184	193	158	133,400
Bass..... "	212	186	256	109,200
Pickerel..... "	3	.....	.....	.....
Coarse Fish..... "	80	47	145	brls. 305
Total in barrels.....	594	518	692	Lbs 372,600
Value..... $	3,285	2,775	4,280	19,316

CHARLESTON AND GANANOQUE LAKES DIVISION.

W. H. Johnston,
James Greer,
Wm. Hicks,
} *Overseers.*

Comparative Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Divison.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
					Lbs.
Whitefish	Brls.	8			
Trout	"	10	15	20	2,000
Bass	"	20	20	25	4,000
Pike	"	110	10	12	1,000
Coarse Fish	"	35	20	120	Brls. 110
Total in barrels		183	65	177	Lbs. 29,000
Value	$	970	380	807	890

MISSISSIPPI RIVER AND LAKE DIVISION.

James McFadden,
Ephraim Deacon,
} *Overseers.*

Comparative Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
					Lbs.
Bass	Brls.	27	30	35	5,000
Pike	"	276	262	257	33,000
Pickerel	"	35	15	13	400
Coarse Fish	"	181	140	138	Brls. 106
Fish used for local consumption	"		20		
Total in barrels		519	467	443	Lbs. 59,600
Value	$	2,414	2,175	2,305	2,398

COUNTY OF RENFREW DIVISION.

Overseers.

Andrew Telfer,	Lower portion Bonnechère and Madawaska Rivers.
M. L. Russell,	Upper portion Bonnechère River.
J. R. McDonald,	Upper waters Madawaska River.
Thos. McKibbon,	Mink Lake and Lake Doré.
George Douglas,	Muskrat Lake and Snake River.
Archd. Acheson,	Lower Allumettes and Coulonge Lakes.
John Grant,	Ottawa River from Upper Allumettes Lake to Des Joachims.

Comparative Statement of the yield and value of the Fisheries in this Division.

Kinds of Fish.		1879.	1880.	1881.	1882.
					Lbs.
Whitefish	Brls.	55	46	33	4,200
Trout	"	71	60	45½	14,400
Sciscos	"	40	.....	.....	.....
Maskinongé	"	30	44	61	9,000
Bass	"	120	78	23	6,200
Pike	"	29	154	108½	21,900
Pickerel	"	44	67	40	8,400
Sturgeon	"	.....	18	15	2,800
Coarse Fish	"	153	282	157	Brls. 157
Fish used for local consumption	"	40	40	.....	.....
Total in barrels		482	789	483	Lbs. 98,300
Value	$	3,347	4,153	2,829	4,767

